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Trustee Cuts Fails To Halt \$10,325 Typewriter Purchase

At last Wednesday's #6 Separate School meeting, trustee Dr. W. Cuts resigned as chairman of the Paul Kane School building committee after his motion to table the purchase of 35 typewriters was defeated.

In his talk on the tabling motion, Dr. Cuts pointed out that that particular typewriter had been proven to be unsatisfactory for educational purposes, the negative data on said machines had been validated by other schools and that there was a lawsuit presently pending on just such a purchase as the one presently being recommended for approval.

"I feel very strongly about this issue," Dr. Cuts said, "and I urge the other members of the board to please consider the seriousness of this purchase."

Dr. Cuts continued by saying that in view of the fact that only three members of the five-member board was present, and also since the purchase involved such a large sum of the taxpayers' money (\$10,325), he

strongly urged his colleagues to approve the tabling motion.

Chairman C. Schroeder, in his comments on the motion, said that there was a \$55 per machine saving on this purchase and felt that that amount of money would go a long way towards repairing the typewriters, if indeed they do not measure up to expectations. Mr. Schroeder added that the typewriters under discussion had been sufficiently recommended as far as was concerned, and the price was right, therefore, he could not see any advantage in tabling the motion. Chairman Schroeder then called the question and both he and trustee Don Munro voted in favor of the purchase, thus defeating Dr. Cuts' tabling motion 2-1.

On that note, Dr. Cuts then tendered his resignation as chairman of the building committee, thus leaving Mr. Munro as the lone member of that committee.

As an after-thought, Dr.

Cuts proposed that the purchase agreement of the 35 typewriters be revised to include a 90-day trial period clause. This motion was also defeated 2-1.

After the meeting, Dr. Cuts told The Gazette that he was indeed very disappointed with the purchase of those typewriters because he fears that they will not serve the school's best purpose and on the long run will cost the district a lot of money.

"I fail to see what all the rush was about," Dr. Cuts said, "because we do have until April to make our equipment requisition." He concluded by observing that in his opinion, such a matter should have been discussed with all members of the board present, including the new trustee who will be elected January 31.

Chamber president represents St. Albert at tourist meeting

Gerry Belke, president of the St. Albert and District Chamber of Commerce, and a director of the Midnight Twilight Tourist Association, attended a Zone 14 meeting of the association on Sunday in Fort Assiniboine. It began at 2 p.m. and adjourned at 10 that evening.

Item number one on the agenda was "Brochures" and Mr. Belke had ready for the meeting a design sketch of a proposed brochure promoting tourism for the zone, which the meeting accepted, and which will now be prepared to printing. It is expected it will be ready for distribution by February 28.

Mr. Belke took the position that the major impact of the brochure should be the four historic trails as they fall within the northern zone: Peace Trail, Klondike Trail, Landing Trail and St. Albert Trail. He was successful in persuading the meeting that these trails do indeed offer the best potential for attracting the interest of tourists, and would lead travellers through the most scenic areas in our tourist zone.



Happy Birthday to a 107-year-old lady, Mrs. Helen McAra of the Youville Nursing Home here in St. Albert. Mrs. McAra marked her 107th birthday Thursday, January 25 but held a family get-together the previous Sunday. The grand lady is shown holding congratulatory certificates from Lt.-Gov. J. Grant MacEwan and Hon. Peter Lougheed, premier of Alberta.

Family Gathers To Mark Mrs. McAra's 107 Years

Mrs. Helen McAra of St. Albert's Youville Nursing Home enjoyed a family gathering of about 40 people Sunday, January 21 marking her 107th birthday.

Among the guests of well-wishers were four of Mrs. McAra's six children: Mrs.

Janet Smith, Mrs. Mary Fitzsimonds, and two sons John and James. Her other two children, Mrs. Lottie Lovatt of Florida and William of Victoria were unable to attend the birthday reunion. Mrs. McAra proudly boasts of 19 grandchildren,

46 great-grandchildren and 9 great-great grandchildren making up five generations.

A few years ago, two of Mrs. McAra's daughters, Janet Smith and Mary Fitzsimonds visited their mother's birthplace, Castle Douglas, Scotland and checked church records to confirm Mrs. McAra's birthdate. Sure enough the records showed that on January 25, 1866 Helen Feagan was born and christened on that day.

Although Mrs. McAra's hearing and eyesight are failing, at 107 she can still take care of herself very well. Her memory is phenomenal, she can name most of her many grandchildren, she clearly remembers specific details of the past and told The Gazette that one of the happiest days of her long life was back in 1889 when she and Peter McAra were married.

Perron Street Parking Issue Returns To Drafting Table

Parallel parking appeared on Monday's committee meeting agenda but failed to solve the problem on Perron Street because of a slight misunderstanding. Downtown merchants were notified by town staff of the impending meeting set for January 29 at 7:35 p.m. Conversely, the merchants presumed that the Perron Street parking proposal would be discussed while Deputy Mayor John deBruin and colleagues expected to hear a submission from the merchants.

Once the lines of communication were re-established and councillors realized they would not be receiving a submission from the merchants, town office staff was instructed to meet with representatives of the

downtown merchants, hammer out details for a meeting which will be called at a future date.

Although Mr. R. G. Wheatley was not the spokesman for the downtown merchants, he did however present a recommendation to council on behalf of himself and Eugene Perron that angle parking remain as is.

Mr. Tom White, also a downtown merchant, explained to council that the letter of notice did not give the merchants a chance to organize a brief, appoint a spokesman and therefore "we're not prepared."

Councillor John Bakker made a recommendation that the merchants meet at a convenient time and appoint a delegate to negotiate with council staff.

Kinsmen Think Rodeo

The St. Albert Kinsmen rodeo committee were thinking "Snow in January" when this picture was taken. But the rodeo committee have been hard at work holding regular monthly meetings for the past four months.

As rodeo days approach the committee will hold meetings on a weekly basis co-ordinating stock contractors, midway, Beerfest,

parade and preparation of the grounds.

After last year's total Rainout, Barry Welsh, rodeo chairman, hopes to make peace with the weatherman. In the past the June weather has been taken for chance, but this year with great organization, and the help of six Sun Worshipers, we hope to put on the best annual town birthday celebration yet.

Think Sun.



Kinsmen and kids discover that rodeo chutes show off snowmobiles rather well. There weren't any broncs around that day to register protest at the come-down.

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New officers of the Sturgeon Toastmistresses Club were installed last Wednesday evening at the home of Nadia Scott on Grandville Avenue. Back row from left are: Dorothy Gault, secretary; Joan Hill, 3rd V.P.; Donna Peterson, 2nd V.P.; Iris Chodan, 1st V.P.; and Joan Brunner, club representative. In front are the immediate past president and installing officer, Irma Wilson, President Marilyn Page, accepting gavel and Nadia Scott, treasurer.

Breakfast Lions Plan Active 1973 Season

The Breakfast Lions had lost their gong to the Host Club recently and last Tuesday morning, at the regular sunrise meeting at The Dede, President Stan Shottland organized a visitation delegation to not only retrieve the lost gong but pick up the old Edmonton gong.

Thursday noon the Host Club was invaded by Lions: John Huberdeau, Stan Shottland, Harry Hutchings, Dr. Cuts, Lorne Johnson, John Kaminski, Elmer Gish and Rolfe Bonneyville. The delegates report a very successful mission.

At the Tuesday morning meeting, President Stan Shottland reported that a few calendars are still available and urged members to distribute these with local businesses.

Lion Harry Hutchings, a distinguished member of the community for many years accepted the appointment to serve with the Preventive Social Services in a liaison capacity.

Lion Rolfe Bonneyville, who has been busy selling Shrine-Lion sweep tickets, announced that sales were not as brisk as he would like to see and reminded all Lions that the deadline to return sold and unsold tickets is February 9. If you haven't bought yours yet, please get in touch with Rolfe or any member of the Shrine-Lion Sweepstakes

Committee. Rolfe's phone numbers are: 599-8335 (res.) or 599-7426 (bus.) for further information.

Lion John Kaminski, immediate past president was awarded his past-president's pin Tuesday. The presentation was made by Lion Stan Shottland to the applause of all members present.

Talk was banded about on several up and coming projects. Indexing of telephone books was one fundraising proposal being considered as well as the annual auction and the bike-a-thon. More on these projects will be published later when dates and firm plans have been formulated.

Lion Ovi Baril advanced a proposal on behalf of Lion Ernie Jamison, whose workload did not permit him to attend the Lion meeting and make the presentation himself. The proposal dealt with a Lion-sponsored public skating spree on the Sturgeon River. The idea was advanced as a result of Town council's initiative to clear the snow off a portion of the Sturgeon for free skating. Mr. Jamison's suggestion in promoting family skating on the river is aimed primarily to help relieve the existing pressure on the arena and outdoor rinks. Lion Stan Shottland picked up the suggestion and appointed Lion Lorne Johnson

to head the committee. Lion Lorne asked The Gazette to invite St. Albert residents on his behalf and register their wishes regarding a skating party on the Sturgeon by phoning 474-6451 or 599-6210.

After the meeting, in an interview with Parks Superintendent John Beedle The Gazette was informed that the Sturgeon has been swept clear of snow from the trestle east to the highway bridge, a width of about 20 feet. Each side of the river is left for snowmobiles and thus makes that portion of the Sturgeon an ideal recreational area. Mr. Beedle also said that further flooding of the skating lane will be done as required and that the entire quarter-mile section of the river has been weight-tested for safety.

Marg Lovatt was reported wearing a wide band of adhesive tape over her mouth one day last week. Trying to check this out all we could dig up was a comment from a co-worker, who said Marg might be practising how not to interrupt anybody.

Tom Bellerose of 10665 96 Street, Edmonton, and a long-time resident of St. Albert celebrated his 68th birthday Sunday, January 21 while recovering from major surgery in Sturgeon General Hospital. Tom is a well-known pioneer son in this area, since he's one of the third generation of Belleroses to live here. Bellerose Drive was named after his grandfather Octave Belle-rose who settled in St. Albert way back in 1873 on a homestead located just across the Sturgeon River on the northern outskirts of the present townsite. Tom's father Pierre took over the family farm when his father passed away in 1910 and remained on the land until 1942 when Bob Bellerose (Tom's brother) became custodian of the family land. Tom enjoyed his birthday, especially the cake, candles, kisses from the nurses and patients and the singing of "happy birthday" by everybody on the four floor.


Harry Hutchings showed The Gazette a clipping from The St. Johns (Newfoundland) Telegram in which it pub-

A detective was questioning the characters in a disreputable neighborhood about a crime. He entered a bar and asked a drunk: "Do you know a man with one eye named Tony?"

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Town of St. Albert

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Council of the Town of St. Albert will be appointing one additional Board Member to the Sturgeon General Hospital #100 as authorized by a recent Ministerial Order. Council invites application from interested citizens for this position on the Board. No person can be appointed as a member of the Board unless he or she is: (a) a resident of the Town of St. Albert, (b) is of the full age of 18 years, and (c) a Canadian citizen or landed immigrant. All applications must be in the hands of the undersigned by noon Friday, February 2, 1973.

R. B. Bowen,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Around Town

lished quite a lengthy story on St. Albert. The article describes St. Albert as the fastest-growing town in the West, with a population in excess of 15,000 and simply in a stage of boom. Harry's

parents who live in Newfoundland thought it was quite interesting to read about Harry's hometown, despite the fact that it was located about 4,300 miles away.



Local Authorities Board

IN THE MATTER OF "The Municipal Government Act":

AND IN THE MATTER OF "The Administrative Procedures Act":

AND IN THE MATTER OF a petition by the majority of the registered owners of certain territory immediately adjoining the Town of St. Albert and lying in the Municipal District of Sturgeon No. 90, requesting annexation of such territory to the Town of St. Albert.

TAKE NOTICE that a petition has been presented to the Local Authorities Board by the majority of the registered owners of certain territory immediately adjoining the Town of St. Albert, requesting annexation to the said Town, of the following described territory now lying within the Municipal District of Sturgeon No. 90:

All over River Lot Forty-One (41) in the St. Albert Settlement, in the Province of Alberta, Canada, as shown on a Plan of Survey of the said Settlement signed at Ottawa on the 7th day of October A.D. 1910 containing Two Hundred and Sixty-five (265) acres more or less.

EXCEPTING THEREOUT - All of Block A as shown on registered subdivision plan 3894 R.S. in the said Lot Forty-One (41) of the St. Albert Settlement containing One Hundred and One and Ninety Two Hundredths (101.92) acres more or less.

River Lot Forty-Two (42) in the St. Albert Settlement, in the Province of Alberta, Canada, as shown on a Plan of the said Settlement signed at Ottawa on the 7th day of October, A.D. 1910, containing Sixty-Nine and Seven Tenths (69.7) acres more or less.

River Lot Forty-Three (43) in St. Albert, in the Province of Alberta, Canada, as shown on a Plan of Survey of the said Settlement, signed at Ottawa on the 30th day of August, A.D. 1913 containing Two Hundred and Seven (207) acres more or less.

River Lot Forty-Four (44) in St. Albert Settlement, in the Province of Alberta, Canada, as shown on a Plan of Survey of the said Settlement signed at Ottawa on the 30th day of August, A.D. 1913 containing One Hundred and Thirty-Nine (139) acres more or less.

Block (B) containing One Hundred and Twenty and Thirteen Hundredths (120.13) acres more or less, in the Province of Alberta, Canada, as shown on Subdivision Plan 5532 K.S. (R.L. 45 St. Albert Settlement)

Block (A) containing Thirteen and Seventy-One Hundredths (13.71) acres more or less, in the Province of Alberta, Canada, as shown on Subdivision Plan 5532 K.S. (R.L. 45 St. Albert Settlement)

All that portion of River Lot Forty-Five (45) in the St. Albert Settlement, in the Province of Alberta, Canada, as shown on a Plan filed as No. 4662 E.U., containing Ten and Five Hundredths (10.05) acres more or less.

The Board will hold a public hearing of the matter of the petition in the Council Chambers, Town Hall in the Town of St. Albert on Monday, the Twelfth (12th) day of February, 1973, at 10:00 a.m.

It may be that you are a party whose rights will be varied or affected by the Board exercising its statutory authority in granting or refusing the annexation application and you are hereby notified that if you wish to make any representation in this regard you may file such written submission with the Board, or appear at the aforementioned public hearing.

In the event that no valid written representation is filed or spoken to as noted the Board will proceed to deal with the petition on the basis or evidence presented at the public hearing.

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famous police force will participate. And St. Albert has been one of the chosen sites where our famed red-coats will play competitive hockey in an effort to determine a provincial representative team which will ultimately play for the Dominion Crown.

The RCMP's five subdivisions in Alberta will each ice teams next Sunday, February 4. The two teams who will play in the St. Albert Arena come from Calgary and Peace River subdivisions. Game time is 7 p.m. On the same day, at the Sherwood Park Arena two other RCMP hockey teams will tangle at 8 p.m. The two teams come from Edmonton and Red Deer subdivisions. The fifth Alberta subdivision, namely Lethbridge got the bye.

The following day, Monday, February 5th two other games will be played-off, one at Canadian Forces Base Namoo while the other will be played here in St. Albert. Both games will be played at 9 a.m. The finalists will then meet at Namoo at 2 p.m. and from this game will evolve the RCMP representative team which will compete in the Centennial Tournament in Regina March 22, 23 and 24.

We in St. Albert have three RCMP residents who will be playing important roles in the Alberta RCMP hockey elimination series. In order of rank St. Albert has as a resident, Inspector C. Dent of 'K' Division (personnel section), who has also been busy as chairman of the tournament committee for all of Alberta. Then we have two resident RCMP Corporals who are members of the Edmonton subdivision team, Dan Vars of the St. Albert Detachment who plays centre and Lyle Bennett of 'K' Division who plays on defence.

Admission price is \$1 for adults, 25¢ for students and children under 12 years of age are admitted free.

PSS Chairman fights back on "Disturbing" article

Mr. Ron Gaunce, chairman of the Preventive Social Services Board in St. Albert, found the article carried in last week's Gazette with board member Hennie Sibbe's comments "extremely disturbing". The impressions left have surprised and shocked those involved in the PSS program," he said.

"It is upsetting that a board member feels she is being picked upon - that there is a move to oust her. Mrs. Sibbe claims she was ousted," said Mr. Gaunce. "In fact she was nominated for two positions, and turned down both before they came to be voted upon." The positions were vice-chairman and secretary.

On the matter of the "election" technically mentioned, Chairman Gaunce pointed out that at the Jan. 25th meeting, (after the article had appeared) the mayor also raised the matter of legality and felt that the October election, when Mrs. Sibbe was named administrative chairman, might be invalid under the PSS Bylaw, which calls for a secretary, and no secretary was elected then. Rather, the post was incorporated with the administrative chairman. "The second election in January was not merely a technicality," said Mr. Gaunce. "It was the wish of the board."

Mrs. Sibbe also brings into question some facts about the Help Society and Day Care Society. Mr. Gaunce pointed out. (There are two funded projects of the local PSS Board). While her remark that a (quack) "Housekeeper employed by the Help Society was paid \$160 for 17 and one-half hours of work in one month last year (unquote) is true, it leaves much unsaid, said Mr. Gaunce.

In fact the per unit cost of the Homemakers Service has been cut each year over the past three years. Instituting a system of retainers for Homemakers was one of the means by which this was done, said the chairman.

He went on to say that in talking about Day Care, "Mrs. Sibbe goes through with the assumption - regarding what number of children are NEEDEY - the assumption that parents of others of the children are in an income bracket of at least \$10,000. This is false," said the chairman. "I would like also to say" said Mr. Gaunce, "that Mrs. Sibbe places a tremendous burden on the Board, and the two Societies she mentioned, by making communications - which are already strained - even more difficult.

People are working up to 60 hours a week in volunteer time - and she questions them."

Chairman Gaunce told the Gazette he had received a lot of feedback. "The people who know about our work say the article is rubbish. People not familiar with it are asking 'is it really like that? And I have to say NO."

Social development people say that both the Day Care and the Help Society programs are well run, said Mr. Gaunce and this article gives a false impression.

Asked about the Day Care Centre, Mr. Gaunce said the program is adaptable. So that when people come with requests for a part time service, the Centre was happy to help them out. If the situation changes, and there are different needs, the Day Care Society is open for change, he commented.

The PSS chairman also said he hoped a Gazette reporter would be on hand to cover meetings, which are

regularly on the third Thursday evening of each month. He felt it was important to the work of the Board that independent reporting to the public is done. Board meetings were opened to the public in January of this year.

"My wife has developed an inferiority complex," a man told the psychiatrist. "How can I keep her that way?"

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Reader Comment Defends Hockey Program

The Editor:

I would like to reply to Mrs. Nola Matheson's letter of last week re Minor Hockey. I must disagree with some of her comments and at this time praise and thank the many coaches and assistant coaches that I have had the pleasure of seeing in action this year and last year.

I have two sons playing in Minor Hockey - one Mite A and one Shavers - last year they were in Mite B and Shavers. I have attended nearly all of their games - in fact last night was the first game in the two years that neither my husband nor I were able to attend. I can honestly say that all the boys in both these teams DO get equal time regardless of their ability. Fortunately both my sons are playing well this year, but last year the one in Shavers could barely stand on his skates and could really only run on the ice. But still he always got his equal ice time. This year, at the first Shaver practice, it was so very obvious who the ones who had returned from last year, as most of the new ones were down more than they were up. But now their improvement is tremendous because they HAVE had as much ice time as the "old timers" from last year - perhaps they are not scoring the goals as individuals but they are holding their own on the team.

In both these teams, each coach and each assistant have sons on their teams but I have yet to see these boys receive any favoritism. As regards the opposition - I have so far this year only noticed a good, friendly controlled attitude amongst the other players, coaches and spectators.

Yes, I am sure the coach wants his team to win - it is only natural and he must get a good sense of pride and satisfaction when they do win or tie a good game. In our Shaver team last year I believe we only won one game all season and that was the very first game. I am sure the coach was a little disappointed but he is back again with them this year and now we are getting a good share of the wins.

I personally have coached sports and presently am coaching a group of children in a sport. I yell and scream, probably one of the loudest, for our boys' teams but am the first also to clap or praise the opposition's goals or defense for a good play or a good goal. We are trying to encourage our sons to do the same, win or lose. There has to be a certain amount of "out to win" attitude installed in the children but at the same time to be sportsmen as well.

I had severe criticism last year of one coach I noticed in the Mite B division but this year I have only seen him on the bleachers so may be he was asked Not to Return.

I do agree, in our leagues, two teams seem to

have a good share of the best players, i.e. Nuggets Mite A and Shavers Wolves (although now we are in Shavers B so don't meet them). I do not know the facts on how the teams are selected but find it difficult to believe that the coaches are able to choose their players. The teams seem to be based on localities which to me makes sense to make any necessary transportation as easy as possible. Perhaps it can be borne in mind for future years to try and share some of the "stars" around.

My husband and I are very satisfied with the coaches and coaching we and our sons have met in the two years we have lived in St. Albert.

I might add that we were first introduced to Minor Hockey in Newfoundland, under the Protestant School Board in St. John's, under the direction of Howie Meeker, a name I don't think I need amplify. And he ran that program on the same lines as St. Albert Kinsmen's Minor Hockey program. Every organization, recreation program, etc. is open to criticism but I think in this case I only have praise for what I have seen.

Let us remember, also, it is all volunteer work, quite time consuming, and often costs the coaches a few dollars in treats for the boys.

Thank you.

Mrs. Cynthia Sage.

Negative Article - PSS

The Editor:

The recent rather negative article regarding the Preventive Social Services upset me a good deal. I would like to state that in spite of difficulties many PSS programs, which serve the people of St. Albert, are being carried out. Before listing these I would like to say that the Preventive Social Service Board and director are concerned about many different needs of the people in St. Albert. They are anxious to hear about these needs and if anyone has ideas regarding these needs, whatever they may be, the Board and director would like to hear about them. One way would be to ask to be put on the agenda of a regular meeting so that a specific need could be discussed.

I would like to draw the attention of the public to:

1. **The Homemaker's Service:** If ANY home needs a temporary homemaker for an emergency situation the Homemaker's Service will do what it can by providing a capable person to take over the affairs of the home until the emergency passes or a permanent arrangement worked out.

2. **Day Care Service:** A child care service for children has been set up which provides day care and an

enriched program of activity for pre-school children on a full-day or part-day basis. It is open to ALL residents of St. Albert.

3. **Mother's Day Out Service:** This is a centre where mothers can leave pre-school children while shopping, visiting, relaxing or doing business. It operates on Thursdays and ANY mother of pre-school children can get a much needed break from the children and home. The mother can leave her children at the centre confident that they will be properly cared for.

4. **St. Albert Safety Council:** This is an organization set up to make St. Albert a safer place to live. It is concerned with traffic safety, home safety, water safety, recreational safety, first aid programs and many other aspects of safety in our town. At present, it is a program of PSS.

5. **Local Initiative Program:** The PSS recently encouraged the hiring of four unemployed people, three of which are St. Albert residents, to work with young people, senior citizens, and groups concerned with ecology and recycling. These employees will assist service clubs, young peoples groups, and other residents to carry out existing programs. Since these four people are paid by Federal government funds there is no direct cost to St. Albert residents for the help they can give.

6. **Single Parent's Club:** The director, with the encouragement of the Board, assisted the parents of one-parent families to form the Single Parent's Club. The purpose of the club is to

bring single parents together to share ideas, help one another and become involved in recreation activities.

Other projects being considered are:

1. **Meals on Wheels:** This is a service to provide the elderly and handicapped with one nourishing, tasty, hot meal each day.

2. **Counselling Service:** A committee has been investigating the need for a local counselling service in St. Albert. The committee has drawn up a proposal that will be discussed in the near future.

3. **Pre-Retirement Education:** Some planning has been done for a program to help people make retirement plans while still working. Later on in the spring it is hoped that a program will be offered to St. Albert residents.

A word must be given regarding the work of volunteers. All of the PSS programs depend a great deal on the work of concerned residents. During the past year literally thousands of hours has been spent trying to meet the needs of residents. One example is the time donated by the Board - over 600 hours - to help initiate and carry out the different programs.

Dave Thomas,
Resident.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Mr. Thomas is a member of the Preventive Social Services board of directors.

Student: after being introduced to a professor with a whole string of degrees-- "He's not a human being, he's a thermometer!"

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LETTERS

Fears Confusion - PSS

The Editor:

Due to confusion which may have been created by recent articles appearing in the Gazette regarding projects funded under the Preventive Social Services Board (specifically the St. Albert Help Society and the St. Albert Day Care Society) we would welcome inquiries from anyone interested in clarification.

Please contact Mrs. Kuzz at 599-8952 regarding the Help Society, and Mrs. Andrusiw at 599-8953 regarding the Day Care Society.

Mrs. Linda Kuzz,
Chairman,
St. Albert Help Society.

Mrs. Gloria Andrusiw,
Chairman,
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The Editor:

Would you please include the following with your "Letter to the Editor."

During the past several months, considerable time and energy has been spent discussing the pros and cons of the PSS.

For what it is worth, I recently found it necessary to contact the Homemakers Service which I understand is part of the PSS to enlist their aid after my wife was

released from hospital.

The lady who was sent to us was perfect. She was punctual, good with the children, and a great help around the house.

For relative newcomers to this community, a service such as this was exceptionally helpful and much appreciated.

Thank you for considering this for publication.

D. C. Parkinson.

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Around Town

PSS and Sturgeon Health Unit are extending an invitation to anyone in St. Albert interested in organizing Meals-On-Wheels to please attend a public meeting, Feb. 5 at 8 p.m. in the Health Unit chambers. Residents who have already come forward and volunteered to form a board of directors include: Mrs. Gerri Byrne, Mrs. Hettie Blades, Mr. A. J. Sonntag, Mrs. Peg Hambert, Mrs. Joy Bertisch and Mrs. Letsbeth Bakker. There are other vacancies to be filled therefore more volunteers are needed. Please remember the date and time of the meeting.

Council is presently advertising for a newly-created opening on the Sturgeon General Hospital Board, applications for which must be in to Mr. Bowen at Town Hall by noon on Friday (Feb. 2nd) - see ad this issue. The present composition has three representatives from the MD Sturgeon, one from Legal, one from Morinville and two from St. Albert. With the increase to an eight man board, St. Albert will have three representatives.

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Sturgeon General Hospital have tickets for sale on a beautiful hand crocheted afghan, done by member Mary Bondarevich. The rainbow afghan is done in shades of brown, orange and gold and measures 53" x 78". Draw will be made at the Auxiliary's annual Blossom Ball, being held this year on May 5th at Club Mocombo.

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Exilda Laroque



Terry and Laurier Regimbald do things up formally by handing over the keys to Reggie Hardware to the new owner, Leo Franche, who takes over today. The store will be closed Thursday, Friday and Saturday and Leo will be all set for business next Monday morning at 28 St. Anne Street.

At a special ceremony, two girls from the 2nd St. Albert Guide Company were presented with their All-Round cords and pins on Monday night at the Lutheran Church. This cord is the second highest award in Guiding. They are Kathie Husband, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Husband, 2 Gould Pace, and Heather York, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. York, 16 Gretna Place. Both girls are now working on their Canada Cord, which is the Highest Guiding Award. Congratulations girls and good luck from your fellow guides and guides.

A public hearing on the matter of the application by Allarco Developers to have about 900 acres annexed to the Town of St. Albert has been arranged for February 12 at 10 a.m. o'clock in the Council Chambers at Town Hall. For particulars see advertisement in this issue.

Dave Davis is in Toronto this week for a Department of Revenue management seminar, being held at the Holiday Inn Monday through Thursday. He will take advantage of one free evening on the heavy agenda to visit some long-time friends from Burlington. Dave will be home Thursday evening, so is missing last minute campaigning as a candidate for the School Board, plus the action Wednesday night after the polls close.

It was fun to meet and chat with some St. Albert people from "back home in the south country" (Saskatchewan, that is). Terry Regimbald, who was raised at Willowbunch and Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Dauphinais who formerly lived at Coderre, were not too far from Meyronne where Shirley Jamison grew up. That was about the worst corner of the province in the depression years, but there were good times too. Clearly Terry is much younger than Shirley, since she didn't remember the days of the Willowbunch annual Stampede.

Laurier Regimbald Sells Store In St. Albert

Mr. Laurier Regimbald announced last week that he is selling his business and the new owner, Mr. Leo Franche will take over today.

For Mr. Regimbald it marks the end of 25 years in this type of business. When he finished his high school in Legal he started work with Revelstoke Sawmills there in 1948. He was later transferred to an Edmonton store and then went to Clyde as manager of the Revelstoke business there.

In 1959 he accepted an offer to manage a new store in St. Albert, "Belley Building Supplies and Hardware" in a building just completed by brothers Maurice, Nap and Rod Belley and a son in law Ray Bolduc.

After six years the opportunity came for Reggie to purchase the business. Some time later he bought the building. The Belleys were also originally a Legal family. Maurice, a plumber still lives in St. Albert and he and his brother, Rod operate Northwestern Mechanical Installations Ltd., who do plumbing contracting in the far north. Nap is retired in St. Albert, while Ray Bolduc is employed in maintenance at the U of A.

Over his 25 years in the lumber-hardware field Mr. Regimbald has put in long hours. For many years he worked from 9 - 6 six days a week. Starting in 1959 he began a stint of 9 - 9 Monday to Friday and 9 - 6 Saturday. Mrs. Regimbald has assisted him over the years by doing book work at home.

Terry came to Legal from Saskatchewan with her family after they sold a farm at Willowbunch and her father moved with her uncle to take over the Massey-Harris dealership in Legal.

She took her last year of high school there and started work at the Bank of Nova Scotia. Thus it was she met Laurier Regimbald, a customer at the bank.

The Regimbalds live at 51 Gillian Crescent and have three boys: Claude, 16, who has helped at the store over the past year, Ronnie, 6 and David, 4 years.

They haven't made any

immediate plans for the future "but we will be staying in St. Albert for certain," said the Regimbalds. "The town has been good to us and we have many good friends who helped and encouraged us when we started in business here. One of the things we have really enjoyed about the business has been meeting so many people of the town and district."

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SPORTS



St. Albert Comets move over to congratulate goalie Zane Jakubec following their win Sunday over the Westlock team. Teddy Rogers is at far back, behind John Arnott, Les Yanchuk, (4) and coach Gary Checknita. Ron Fournier and Wally Monson speaking to Jakubec (minus helmet), while Richie Perrault and Henry Hodgson look on at right. Jim Read is seen at lower left.

Photo by Frank Smith.

Comets move closer to league title with weekend win

St. Albert Willowbrook Comets took a big step towards clinching first place in the eight team Edmonton Central Hockey League Sunday when they defeated second place Westlock Eagles 5-3.

The Comets victory gave them 33 points, nine more than the Eagles. St. Albert has eight games remaining including two with last place Winterburn Tomahawks, and barring a complete collapse, should capture first place. There is quite a battle going on for the remaining playoff spots, with only four points separating fifth spot Stony Plain Eagles and Westlock.

Comets, (and the leagues) leading scorer Henry Hodgson gave the hometown squad a 1-0 lead at 2:55 of the opening period when he banged in a pass from Ted Rogers and John Arnott. Leo Provincial, who is only two or three points behind Hodgson tied the game for the Eagles at 4:44 with Len Haley and Rick Melane assisting. The first period saw only three penalties called, two to the Comets.

In the second, Jim Read gave the Comets a 2-1 lead at 12:58 from Al Laplante and Ron Fournier and at 14:45 Rich Perrault gave Comets a 3-1 lead with an unassisted goal.



JIM READ

Wayne Rimmer scored with less than a minute to play in the period to cut the Comets lead to 3-2.

Hodgson scored the winning marker from Dale

Ripple at 3:44 of the third. Pete Provincial scored Westlock's final goal at the 7:00 minute mark and Comet coach Gary Checknita scored into an empty net at 19:40 for the insurance marker.

Comets next home game will be this Sunday when the Barrhead Sabres will be in town. The game is quite important for both clubs in the playoff battle. Comets will be trying to maintain their point lead while the Sabres will be trying to catch Westlock and Sherwood Park. Standings as of January 22, 1973:

	W	L	T	Pts.
St. Albert	16	3	1	33
Sher. Park	12	7	0	24
Westlock	12	8	0	24
Barrhead	11	8	0	22
Stony Plain	10	9	0	20
Leduc	6	11	1	13
Ray's Esso	5	13	0	10
Winterburn	3	16	0	6

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Bruins lose league game win exhibition in St. Paul

St. Albert Bruins lost their third league game in a row Friday night at home when Fort Saskatchewan Traders scored two third period goals for a 4-3 win. The loss dropped the Bruins into a third place tie with the North Side Comets who have played two more games. The Traders are in the league basement with only three wins.

Bruins took a 1-0 lead at 10:47 of the first period when Jim McCoomb stole the puck from a Traders defenseman and passed to Bob Wallace who pulled the Fort goalie and scored a pretty goal. Bruins Rick Barry was off with a hooking penalty when the goal was scored.

The Fort tied the game at 14:42 when Phil Lawrence scored on a breakaway. The Bruins were pressing in the Fort end when Lawrence blocked a slap-shot and went in alone to beat Bruin goalie Larry Wanagas.

Ray Gaultier gave the Bruins a 2-1 lead at 17:01 finishing off a fine passing play from Dave Lebeck and Marcel Tourangeau. Both teams picked up two minors each and St. Albert outshot the Fort 12-6.

The second period was fairly even with both goalies making some fine saves. The Fort got the only goal when Don Galloway scored on another breakaway. Once again the penalties were even at four apiece with fighting infractions to the Bruins Rick Barry and Jerome Hutton of the Fort. Barry, who normally plays a clean game, took exception to being slashed by Hutton and promptly gave Hutton a good trimming. Bruins Greg Hatch was forced to leave the game early in the second when he was struck in the mouth by a deflected puck.

Alex Jensen, who was one of the Bruins better defensemen scored on a slap-shot from the blue line at 2:17 of the third to give St. Albert a 3-2 lead. McCoomb and Tourangeau assisted on the play. The Traders didn't wait long to tie up the game as Randy Jenner was allowed to walk in and score from the slot. Wanagas had no chance on the goal.

Traders got the winner at 10:42 when Ron Hanlon beat Wanagas in a race for a loose puck and scored with the Bruin goalie about 30 feet out of the net. Had Wanagas stayed in the goal a Bruin defenseman probably would have caught Hanlon.

The Fort goalie was hurt early in the third when Alex Jensen caught him out of the net in a race for the puck. Jensen was called for charging, although both were going for the puck.

In the Bruins game in St. Paul five of the nine goals scored were via the power play. Bruins took an early 1-0 first period lead on a goal by Marcel Tourangeau. Bob Wallace scored a power play goal at 16:37 to give the Bruins a 2-0 lead with Rick Barry and Greg Hatch drawing assists. With one second to play in the opening period Ray Gaultier gave the Bruins a 3-0 lead.

The home town Canadians stormed back with three straight power play goals to tie the game early in the second. Bob Page, Al Maho and Dave Baskalko scored for the Canadians who are a Montreal Canadian sponsored club and play in the Central Alberta Junior Hockey League. Jim McCoomb tipped in a pass from Alex Jensen at 13:18 of the period to give the Bruins a 4-3 lead going into the third period.

The Canadians took advantage of another power play opportunity when they scored with Rick Barry off for tripping. Page scored his second goal less than a minute after Barry went off. Bruins scored the winning goal at 15:01 when Doug Ferguson converted Bruin's pass past Canadian goalie Al Womacks.

Larry Wanagas played a strong game for the Bruins in goal.

Bruins next home game will be this Friday at 8 p.m., when league leading South Side Metros will be in town.

Next Tuesday the second place U of A Bears will be here for a game at 7:30 p.m.

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Bon Accord upsets Calahoo in Sturgeon league play

League leading Calahoo Scorpions found things a little tough last week dropping their second game of the year Friday night to Bon Accord 4-3 and tying Morinville 3-3 last Tuesday. They got back on the track Sunday, however, with a 7-0 shutout over Gibbons.

Bon Accord's win over the Scorpions and a close 5-4 victory over Legal last Tuesday, gave them 26 points, five behind Calahoo. Bon Accord was to have played the last place Alexander Braves Sunday but the game was cancelled as the Braves were in an Indian tournament in Two Hills over the weekend. A win over the Braves would have moved Bon Accord to within three points of first place. Villeneuve also came up with two wins last week including an upset 3-2 win over Morinville on Sunday. They also scored an easy 5-2 win over Namoo on Friday in Legal. Namoo also lost a close 4-3 game to Legal on Sunday.

The top four playoff position have just about been decided with Calahoo, Bon Accord, Legal and Morinville appearing to be in. The position of the top four are still in doubt, although Calahoo should end up in first as they have only three games left to play, two with Namoo and one with Villeneuve.

Bon Accord has a tougher schedule with two games against Morinville and a game with Gibbons.

Legal has two with Villeneuve and one against the Braves, Morinville's other game is with Namoo.

Bon Accord and Alexander are attempting to play their game that was cancelled over the weekend, sometime next week so that the playoffs can get underway next weekend.

The games postponed over the Christmas holidays will be played Friday, Feb. 2 and Sunday, Feb. 4 as listed on the schedule, same time, same arena.

Standings as of January 29, 1973 are as follows:

	W	L	T	P
Calahoo	15	2	1	31
Bon Accord	12	3	2	26
Legal	12	5	1	25
Morinville	10	7	1	21
Namoo	6	9	3	15
Villeneuve	6	10	2	14
Gibbons	4	12	2	10
Alexander	2	15	0	4

*Alexander and Bon Accord have only played 17 games, all other teams 18. INDIVIDUAL SCORING:

	G	A	P
Andre Contant	23	20	43
B. Campbell	16	19	35
C. Contant	12	23	35
J. Contant	21	11	32
J. McGeough	14	17	31
D. Pelletier	13	13	26
D. Chevallier	14	11	25
L. Coulombe	9	15	24
C. Wolanski	14	8	22
M. Arcand	11	10	21



The only rink who came through the Ladies Open undefeated last week pose with Casey Anderson who has just presented them with the Gateway Building Supplies trophy, as winner of the first event which his company sponsors. From left to right are Pat Hudson, Marina Vettergreen, Pearl Quintal, Casey Anderson and Mary Lou Rouault.

St. Albert rink wins top Ladies Bonspiel honours

The St. Albert Ladies Curling Club annual open bonspiel took place last week with a full complement of 32 entries, 13 local and 19 Edmonton rinks.

Winning the "Gateway Building Supplies" trophy for the first event, the Mary Lou Rouault rink went through undefeated topping the Mary McKeever rink in the finals played Wednesday afternoon.

Skipped by Pearl Quintal the Rouault rink from St. Albert had Marina Vettergreen playing 3rd, Mary Lou at 2nd and Pat Hudson throwing lead rocks. Third and fourth places in the main event went to the Colleen Wood and Marie Badick

rinks.

The Olga Komarnisky foursome from the Granite with Hattie Manley skipping, Olga at 3rd, Lil McCallum 2nd and Hazel Boulton, lead, won the 2nd event and the "National Concrete Accessories" trophy, defeating the Hilda McLaren team from the Derrick. Runners up in the 2nd event were the Helen Carthy and Sylvia Storoshenko rinks.

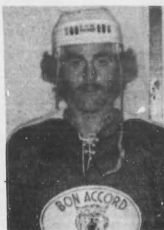
Third event "Porta-Holst Ltd." trophy went to the Thistle rink of Liz Gemmell skip, Barb Gemmell 3rd, Brenda Duncan 2nd and Carole Dunster, lead. They defeated St. Albert's Lois Hill foursome in the final game. Third and fourth prizes went

to the Ida Heyden and Elsie Holmes rinks.

This annual spiel was a tremendous success due to the efforts put forth by the executive and many others who gave so generously of their time and energies.

Special thanks to the "social" and "entertainment" committees for the smashing success of the banquet last Tuesday evening, which alone should ensure entries galore to next year's spiel.

The response from local business people when called upon to assist the Ladies Curling Club was most gratifying and appreciated. The success of this annual bonspiel was assured by their generosity.



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Executive rules on infractions - - Commercial League

A league executive meeting was held last week and two teams will have to forfeit games for failing to comply with league rules and regulations.

League President Ken Pollon ruled that St. Albert Pharmacy had used an ineligible player, for reason that he had played in another organized league. As a result the two games this player participated in, were marked as losses.

Grandin Gulf Blazers also

so violated league rules by playing a total of 25 players in various games. League regulations allow only 22. Three games were involved, but the Blazers only won one of them and therefore only dropped two points.

Getting back to league play the Pharmacy scored four third period goals to hand Kinsmen Warriors 8-3 on Wednesday.

On Thursday St. Albert Grandin/Rogers Esso blasted Belcourt Power Kegs

11-5.

Monday night Premier Esso dumped the Kinsmen 6-3.

Barons drop 3rd straight

The St. Albert Sportshop Barons' midget double team have been having their problems lately. They dropped their third in a row Saturday night losing 4-2 to Westlock.

The visiting Westlock team took advantage of Barons on penalties, and scored two of their goals on power plays. St. Albert took 11 of 14 penalties.

Barons trailed 2-1 after the first with Matt Kleser scoring from Terry Kleser and Roger Meunier. Terry Kleser scored the Barons' other goal early in the third to narrow the score 3-2, but they could not get the equalizer. Westlock scored with only 40 seconds to play to put the game out of reach.

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Bantam Fire Chiefs lose in Barrhead tourney

St. Albert's representative bantam team, the Fire Chiefs, lost 3 - 2 in sudden death overtime Sunday in the final of the Barrhead minor hockey week tournament against Great West Steel, a double team from Edmonton.

Fire Chiefs had advanced to the final with a 2 - 1 win over Barrhead Saturday in a game which was billed both as a tournament match and a regular league game.

Fire Chiefs never managed to get hold of the lead in the final, and lost out after only 21 seconds of overtime play. They came out of the first period tied 1 - 1 on a goal by Lorie Loshack and ended the second period tied 2 - 2 on a goal by Doug Belley.

Terry Leddy and Loshack scored for Chiefs in the win over Barrhead.

Chiefs got great goaltending in both games from Dennis LaFleur, who joined the team in mid-season. LaFleur stopped a breakaway in Saturday's game that could have tied it in the dying minutes and on Sunday

kept Chiefs in the game during the early minutes of the third period, when it looked like Great West might make it a walkaway.

Chiefs weathered the storm, however, and at the end of regulation time were carrying the game to the city team.

Chiefs appear to be rounding into form as they are gradually getting back to full strength after a rash of injuries. Captain Terry Leddy missed almost a month with an eye injury; Richard Fowler has been out seven weeks with a broken arm; Lorie Loshack missed several games with a back injury; Lloyd Olson is presently on the injured list with a knee injury.

In their last four games prior to the weekend, Chiefs tied Ardrossan 4 - 4 in league play; beat Enoch in an exhibition game 5 - 1; beat Fort Saskatchewan in league play 6 - 4; and lost an exhibition game to Edson 4 - 1.

Loshack leads the team in league scoring with 14 goals and six assists in 11 games

and shares the lead in exhibition play with Rory Ryder. Loshack has six goals and three assists and Ryder five goals and four assists. Lloyd Olson follows Loshack in league scoring with 11 goals and seven assists.

Chiefs' league scoring:

	G	A	P
L. Loshack	14	6	20
L. Olson	11	7	18
Brandenburg	3	5	8
B. Millroy	6	1	7
T. Leddy	5	2	7
B. Sinclair	3	4	7
R. Olsen	2	5	7
G. Brown	3	2	5
R. Ryder	2	3	5
P. McCann	2	3	5
D. Belley	1	3	4
E. Evaniew	1	3	4
D. Tobin	0	2	2
C. Wear	0	1	1

Chiefs are in third place in the league, with four wins, two ties and seven losses. They play Barrhead in St. Albert Arena tonight at 7 and will travel to Legal for their 14th exhibition game of the season Thursday night



Ed Joyal beats Bernie Parent to open the scoring for the Alberta Oilers Sunday night at the Gardens.
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Soccer Practice Sessions Attract Many Youngsters

The improved attendance last week at the Hercules soccer practice sessions being held in the school gyms was very gratifying. In fact the number of 6 - 8 year olds who attended caught us napping but as the initial stages involve getting used to controlling a ball we managed to keep most of them busy during the evening. The Hercules Soccer Club hopes to have

a few extra coaches to help out during future sessions.

Registration for soccer will take place on Friday evening, February 9 at the Grandin Clubhouse (next to the swimming pool) and Sir Alexander Mackenzie School gym from 6:30 to 9 p.m. Membership fees for the Hercules Sports Association 1973 season will be \$4 per boy or \$6 per family.

A family membership also entitles girls to participate in the Hercules Girls Softball program. Details of the softball program, including eligible age groups, are expected to be provided later.

As in previous years we propose to select representative teams to play in the EMYSA leagues. This year we hope we can provide premier and central league teams from the 9 - 10, 11 - 12, 13 - 14 and 15 - 16 age groups plus a premier league team from the 6 - 8 year olds. In addition we hope that the combined high school team will be formed again this year and later participate in the EMYSA Junior league.

The final decision as to the allocation of teams to the premier, central and local leagues cannot be made until after registration to ascertain that we have both the number of coaches and players available.

A meeting of coaches is being arranged for later in February to discuss the coming season.

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New owner of Jim Byrne's Mens Wear, Garth Peterson (left) accepts a firm handshake from the founder of the exclusive men's shop Jim Byrne himself. Official takeover will be February 1, just a few days prior to Jim Byrne's 11th anniversary here in St. Albert's Grandin Shoppers Park.

Garth Peterson Buys Jim Byrne Business

Jim Byrne's Mens Wear, one of the oldest firms in Grandin Shoppers Park will change ownership Thursday, February 1st. Garth Peterson, a long time employee of Canada Packers Co. Ltd., is going to be the new proprietor of the exclusive men's store on The Mall.

Jim Byrne founded his men's wear store in St. Albert in 1962 and in the intervening years established a thriving business which has become the headquarters for the well-dressed man. During the past 11 years, Jim employed Garth Peterson on a part time basis. During this period, Mr. Peterson has become

well versed in men's clothing. In addition to his experience in accounting and merchandising attained during the 21 years Garth has been employed with Canada Packers, today he comes well qualified to operate a business like the Jim Byrne Mens Wear establishment.

Garth and his wife 'Pal' (Joanne) live at #1 Swallow Crescent, and are the proud parents of four children. Geri, 17 who has been working part time in the store for Mr. Byrne, Douglas, 14, Patricia 11 and Paula, the youngest of the family who is attending Leo Nickerson. Garth tendered his resignation to Canada Packers

Ltd. on January 26, thus ending 21 years with the company. Garth started with Canada Packers in the accounting department in Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan from where he was transferred to Edmonton in 1962. After two years in the credit department in Edmonton, Garth was promoted to the provisions department and resigned as accounts manager.

Garth is an Elder of the Braside Presbyterian Church Board, also serves on the executive of the Language and Learning Development Association of Edmonton. Garth is the immediate past-president of this organization, whose prime function is to raise funds for the Evelyn Unger School.

He is also serving on the board of governors of the Evelyn Unger School. Mr. Peterson told The Gazette that he does not plan to change the firm's name, staff or any of the policies, least of all the Jim Byrne reputation well established here in St. Albert and surrounding areas.

Jim Byrne's immediate plans are undetermined, but he did say that before making a definite move, he will take a good long holiday then return to the store and remain with Garth in an advisory capacity for a couple of months.

Teachers Urged To Detect Learning Disabilities

Speaking to a meeting of the Sturgeon St. Albert Association for Children with Learning Disabilities, Dr. T. A. S. Boyd, Ophthalmologist at the U of A said "It is of utmost importance that children with learning disabilities be recognized and given the necessary help by at least grade one. In Dr. Boyd's opinion the teacher is most often the best person to make an accurate presumptive diagnosis - and that diagnosis should be immediately acted upon. If this were done only about 33 per cent of children with problems would need costly specialized investigation. The cost of delay in remediation in terms of money and human resources is incalculable.

His presentation included many slides covering types

of reading disabilities, diagnosis, treatment, consequences and fate of the missed dyslexic, and interesting statistics on the benefits of remediation (some of which were compiled 40 years ago), and many areas of concern to parents and professionals.

While many dyslexics succeed in developing a fuller measure of their potential in spite of their reading disability, countless more become crushed by defeat and frustration and become delinquent. It is interesting to note that Denmark and Texas make special allowances in court for any offender with a learning disability, as their studies of delinquency indicate difficulty in learning the communication skills to be directly related to anti-social behavior due to failure, frustration, poor self-image and defeat.

It is encouraging to realize that some outstanding contribution to society have been made by such famous dyslexics as Edison, Cush-

ing (a famous brain surgeon), General Patton, President Wilson, Einstein, Rockefeller, Hans Christian Anderson, Rodin (a sculptor). It is somewhat disturbing to know that Lee Harvey Oswald had a learning disability.

Dr. Boyd suggested how a group such as the S-SAACLD could be effective in moving government to action, and how parents must be informed and involved in order to intelligently help their children to develop.

The Association welcomes comments and suggestions from all interested persons in order to develop programs to meet the special needs of the people in the Sturgeon-St. Albert district. Mrs. R. Wilson of 599-7432 would be happy to take any calls.

Regular public meetings are held the third Monday of each month in the music room of Leo Nickerson Elementary School at 7:30 p.m. Next meeting will be Feb. 19th.

Students raise funds for special Projects

A class of grade nine students in SAM held a bake sale at the shopping centre recently to help raise money for their Prom and to help purchase a portable public address system for Students' Union functions.

Profits totalled \$74. The St. Albert Pharmacy donated two tickets to see the Edmonton Oilers play the Philadelphia Blazers of the WHA. The lucky winner was Greg Reneger of 30 Sunset Boulevard.

The students feel that the bake sale was a great success and would like to thank all the parents who donated baking and all our customers at the shopping centre on January 20. They would like to extend a special thanks to Mrs. Nelson for taking the time to help organize our function.

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No. 6 Board hears briefs on charette, School year

The general public displayed a considerable amount of interest in last Wednesday's meeting of St. Albert's Protestant Separate School Board at which three segments coming under the heading of public discussions were dealt with.

Item number one dealt with feedback from the public school system students on the issue of the 1973-74 school year. A brief was presented by students of Sir George Simpson School which revealed that the large majority of junior high students prefer the old school year and strongly oppose the proposed term starting August 25 and extending to June 22.

Although the proposed term comes to a total of 192 days of instructions and 198 school operational days the students were firm in the presentation of their brief that the students they represent want two full summer months of holidays (July and August) and further urged the school board to re-schedule school opening day from the latter part of August to after the September Labor Day weekend. The delegates from SGS school,

unknowingly, were reiterating recommendations evolving from previous meetings held with the Separate School Student Advisory Committee. A report on the subject has been requested from the teaching staff of the system but said report is still forthcoming.

Next item up for public discussion was Outdoor Education, policies and regulations. The proposal was presented by Superintendent Elmer Gish who is also a member of the outdoor education committee. The paper, tabled by Mr. Gish was circulated and briefly discussed which ultimately led to its approval by the three members of the No. 6 School Board. (The reduced board came about through the absence of Trustee Jim Wiltshire and the vacant seat).

In approving the Outdoor Education Program, the Board also approved that, in addition to the standard budgetary allocation to each school for curricular and extracurricular transportation, the Board approve an allocation of \$1,000 in the 1973 budget to support Outdoor Education programs beyond the greater Edmonton area.

Third item discussed was the Charette Final Report, extensively circulated and opened for public dissection. Dave Davis, a member in the visitor's gallery asked for an accounting of the Charette costs and was told that a final audit has not been made, however, Trustee Don Munro told Mr. Davis that the project had been funded by the town council (\$400) and each school system had contributed \$200, thus making the Charette's total budget of \$800. Mr. Munro concluded his answer by saying that no cost estimates were available at the moment.

Mr. Davis then questioned the reported attendance of 500 people at the Charette. Mr. Davis claimed that the figure of 500 was inaccurate and misleading. Mr. Munro explained that his Charette committee had not cross-checked registration books therefore there was no way of knowing whether 500 separate individuals had attended one of the five-night sessions each or what exactly happened. This was endorsed by Mrs. Shirley McCaffery who was in charge of Charette registrations and admitted from the visitor's gallery that a cross-check had not been

done. Chairman Schroeder, while commenting on the topic of registration, advanced the theory that perhaps the 500 registrations were made up of the same 100 persons attending all five sessions and these included resource people, numbering about 25 in all.

Mr. W. Thiele, a high school teacher in Edmonton and a resident of St. Albert admitted that he had not attended the Charette, however, wished to make a few observations from the tabled report.

The area which concerned Mr. Thiele was the following recommendation made by the Charette report which states in part: "that the basic curriculum be taught in a half-day school session, the other half to be spent in school or recreation areas on leisure activities chosen by the student himself."

Mr. Thiele strongly objected to the 50/50 education-leisure recommendation. In his prepared brief Mr. Thiele complained that high school students today have difficulty with, "writing, reading and adding two plus two."

"During my Christmas holidays," Mr. Thiele said, "I had to give failure marks

to about 90 per cent of the term papers I brought home to mark." He continued to explain that he is a high school teacher and the term papers he was marking obtained failure marks simply because the students today don't know how to write, read or even add properly he said.

Using this example, Mr. Thiele strongly urged that school education time not be reduced for leisure, but rather that a concentrated effort be made on the three R's and let the student enjoy leisure hours after school.

In commenting on the Charette recommendations, Mayor Ray Gibson said that he agreed in part with most

of the report. He did say however that during an exercise like the one conducted by the Charette Committee, a local cable television facility like the one proposed by T & R Systems, whose application to serve St. Albert was denied by the Canadian Radio-Television Commission, would have been invaluable. Mayor Gibson strongly deplored CR-TC's decision to award the cable television licence to Capitol and expressed the hope that he would be able to discuss the matter with officials of Capital Cable TV and convince that firm to agree on a proposal for St. Albert, more along the lines of T & R's submission.

Toboggan Park Races Draw Crowd Of 1,000

An estimated crowd of over 1,000 enthusiastic snowmobile operators and fans enjoyed a very successful race at Toboggan Park, located about three miles west of Stony Plain last Sunday afternoon. This was the Parkland Amateur Racing Association's third race event of the current season and another is planned for February 18 at which Alberta mayors will vie for the Mayor's Challenge Trophy.

The main attraction of the day was the 13-event race involving a total of over 100 machines. Reports from some of the drivers who participated in the race claim that the Toboggan Park oval racetrack Sunday was in excellent shape but

still required a great deal of skill.

The concession, serving hot coffee, hot dogs and burgers did a bargain-day volume of sales. A few of the many volunteer workers responsible for making this event such a success were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lehr of Edmonton, Susan Hunter, Judy Fedak and Chris, just to name a few. Gordon Lehr is president of the Parkland Amateur Racing Association in Edmonton.

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MONDAYS - 1st and 3rd Mondays BINGO - Legion Hall - 8 p.m. Sponsored by Ladies Auxiliary Branch #271.

MONDAYS - Story Hour at the Library for preschoolers 2 - 3 p.m.

TUESDAYS - The Youville Auxiliary meets every second Tuesday of the month at the Home - 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAYS - The regular weekly meetings of the St. Albert AA and Al-Anon groups will be held at the Legion Hall in St. Albert - 8:30 p.m. New members are always welcome. (The AA group and the Al-Anon group meet separately - in different areas of the hall).

WEDNESDAYS - Community League BINGO, Community Hall, St. Albert.

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WEDNESDAYS - TOPS meeting 7:30 p.m. Sir George Simpson School. Interested persons welcome.

THURSDAY - PSS Regular meetings - every THIRD Thursday of the month, 7:30 p.m. Town Hall Council Chambers. The public is invited to attend.

THURSDAYS - Weight Watchers, Legion Hall, corner at St. Thomas St., St. Albert - 7:30 p.m.

THURSDAYS - Mothers Day-Out Program in United Church Basement. For reservations please call 599-8952.

FRIDAYS - Story Hour for preschool children at the Library, 10 - 11 a.m.

SATURDAYS - Legion Social - Members and guests each Saturday, 8 p.m. - 1 a.m.

SAT. FEB. 3 - 8:30 p.m. Winter Festival, St. Albert Community League. Dancing, refreshments, snacks. \$3.50 per person.

SAT. FEB. 3 - Salvage Paper Bins will be located behind the Museum on the Roman Catholic Church grounds, sponsored by the Brownies and Guides. For information phone 599-7549.

MON. FEB. 5 - The monthly meeting of the St. Albert U.C.W. General, in basement of United Church at 9:30

WED. FEB. 7 - Monthly dinner meeting of Welcome Wagon Newcomers Club at the Purple Dome - 6:30

THUR. FEB. 8 - Senior Citizens Social will be held in the Community Hall, Cards 1:30. John Herman's Horn Quartet will provide musical selections at 3 p.m. followed by coffee and door prizes. Please come and bring a friend for an enjoyable afternoon.

FRI. FEB. 9 - Soccer Registration Clubhouse (Grenfell Ave.) and Sir Alexander Mackenzie School Gym - 6:30 - 9 p.m.

FRI. FEB. 9 - Soccer registration for 1973 season, Grandin Clubhouse and at Sir Alexander Mackenzie Gym - 6:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

MON. FEB. 19 - The Sturgeon and St. Albert Association for Children with Learning Disabilities meet at Leo Nickerson School music room - 7:30 p.m.

SAT. FEB. 24 - Grandin Brownie and Guides Bazaar at Community Hall - 11 - 3 p.m.

New Arrivals

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Provincial Assessor Defines Supplementary Guidelines

The first 20 minutes of Monday night's committee meeting of council dealt with supplementary assessments definition of the Act and other pertinent information required prior to commencement of the Court of Revision Hearings scheduled to start Tuesday, Jan. 30. Present to help clear up a few grey areas involving supplementary assessments was Mr. R. Murray of the

Department of Municipal Affairs, Assessor's Branch. Mr. Murray defined the assessment date as being either the date of occupancy or the completion date, whichever comes first.

Mr. Murray gave as an example the assessment date of a residence as being the day occupants move into the premises, regardless whether the home is com-

pleted or not. Then the property is assessed on a sliding scale as per its degree towards completion, 75 per cent, 90 per cent or whatever is deemed fair. On

the other hand, Mr. Murray explained, the same residence once, completed but not occupied becomes assessable and is therefore subject to taxation.

Historical Society Splits Logo Contest Prize Money

The St. Albert Historical Society wishes to announce the winners of the Logo Contest held last November.

In Class 111 - which was open to any resident of St. Albert or district, two entries were chosen as winners, Mrs. Sylvia Walsh of 30 Gresham Cres. and Mr. Bernie Kathol of 10 Spruce Cres., will split the first prize. Both submitted entries which symbolized the roles of the Indians, the missionaries and the pioneers in the development of St. Albert.

Miss Lois Walde, 19 Sunnyside Cres., and a grade 9 student at Sir Alexander Mackenzie School submitted the winning entry in Class 11 - (Students from grades 8 - 12). There were no entries received from Class 1 (Students from grades 4 - 8).

The Society is now in the process of planning for the construction of a new building, to be built on the same

site, which will provide continued preservation of Father Lacombe's Chapel, as well as work areas, storage areas and additional display areas. They have also approved the spending of \$1,600 towards renovations within the crypt area. Included in this work will be the construction and setting up of display cabinets for artifacts of Bishop Vital Grandin.

The Society's annual meeting is scheduled for Thursday, February 22 and persons interested are invited to attend. At this meeting annual reports from the executive will be given. Time and location will be announced later.

The Society will launch its drive for membership in March.

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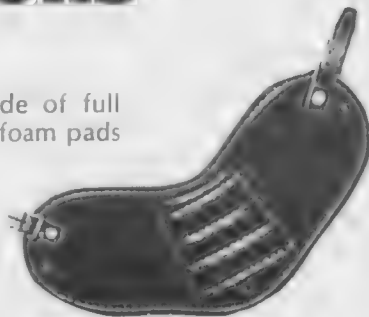
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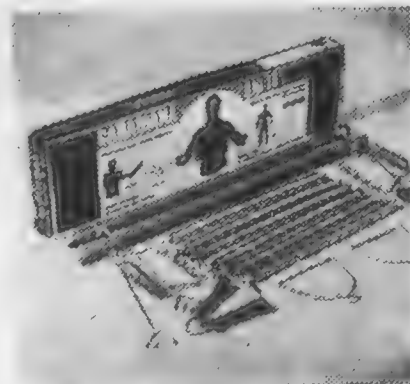
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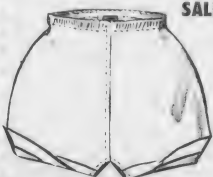
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Biscuits 49¢
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Beef Stew 63¢
Pkg. 24 fl. oz. tin

Spaghetti 63¢
and Meat Balls
In Tomato Sauce. Puritan. 24 fl. oz. tin

Quik 99¢
Newest Chocolate. 2 lb. tin

Popcorn 19¢
3 1/2 quarts. 1 lb. bag

Bleach 41¢
French Maid. 64 fl. oz. bottle

Puddings 2:39¢
Robin Hood
Peanut Minc. Four Flavors. 5 1/2 oz. pkg.

Shake 'n Bake 95¢
For Chicken. 10 oz. pkg.

Tang 79¢
Orange Flavor Drink Crystals. 2x7 oz. pkg.

Beef Stew 43¢
Dorma. 15 fl. oz. tin

EVERYDAY LOW PRICES

French Fries 89¢
McGinn Frozen
Julienne Style or Rag Cut. 2 1/2 lb. pkg.

Strawberries 55¢
Fraser Vale Sliced. Frozen. 15 fl. oz. pkg.

Brussels Sprouts 97¢
Bel-air Frozen. Canada Fancy. 2 lb. pkg.

Hand Lotion 1:47¢
Jergens With Pump. 15.5 fl. oz. bottle

Arrid 1:47¢
Anti Perspirant.
Extra Dry. 12.5 fl. oz. tin

Soya Sauce 57¢
Chun King. 16 fl. oz. bottle

Windbreak 59¢
Men's Hair Control. 3 oz. tin

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79¢

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Sandwich Meats 39¢
Bologna, Sliced Ham, Sliced Turkey, Corned Beef
or Smoked Beef. 3 oz. pouch pack

SUPER SAVERS

Turbot Fillets 75¢
Frozen. A seafood treat

Salmon Pieces 1:00¢
Rogers Silverlight.
Frozen

Shrimp 3:50¢
Caribbean Clusters. Raw Headless Frozen.
41 to 60 Count Per box. 2 1/2 lb. Ctn.

Pizza 1:19¢
Old Fashioned. 12". Mushroom, Bacon,
Pepperoni, Ham & Pineapple. 16 oz. pkg.

Pizza 89¢
Old Fashioned. 9" Italian Gourmet. 13 oz. pkg.

Bacon 98¢
Devon, Sliced Side
Bulk Pack

Layer Cakes

Pepperidge Farm. Frozen

Devils Food or Maple Spice

69¢

Catsup

Town House. Super Saver.

3 FOR 89¢

Coffee Tone

Lucerne. Cream Substitute. Super Saver.

99¢

EVERYDAY LOW PRICES

Mini Ravioli 45¢
Chef-Boy-Ar-Dee. 15 fl. oz. tin

Cheese Spread 95¢
Ingersoll. Past. Process. 16 oz. jar

Cheese Slices 1:69¢
Black Diamond Past. Process. 2 lb. pkg.

Danish Cheese 1:15¢
Safeway. Titled. Tybo, Danbo, Samsøe
Approx. 12 oz. pkg.

Monterey Jack 1:05¢
Safeway Cheese. Approx. 8 or 14 oz. pkg. lb.

Medium Cheddar 1:13¢
Safeway Cheese. Approx. 16 or 20 oz. pkg. lb.

Cottage Cheese 65¢
Lucerne Dry Curd. 2 lb. bag

SUPER SAVERS

Toothpaste 59¢
Close-Up Red or Green. 50 ml. tube

Toothbrush 2:59¢
Pepsodent Junior. 50 Tuks

Toothbrush 29¢
Pepsodent Junior. Assorted. Each

Windbreak 78¢
Men's Hair Control. 6 oz. tin

Dog and Cat Food

Rover. 15 oz. tin



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Jelly Powders

Empress Assorted flavors.
Keep on hand for quick desserts.



3 oz. pkg. **12 FOR \$1.00**

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3 BOXES **\$1.00**

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12 1/2 fl. oz. tin **2 FOR \$0.79**

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Safeway
All Purpose Grind



1 lb. pkg. **75¢**



Cheese Loaf

Lucerne
Pasture Process

2 lb. pkg. **\$1.67**



Grapefruit Juice

Taste Tells Pink
Unsweetened, From Concentrate

2 FOR **\$1.00**



Corn

Town House Whole Kernel
In Brins, Canada Fancy

4 FOR **\$0.95**



Tomato Juice

Libby's
Canada Fancy

2 FOR **\$0.98**

EVERYDAY LOW PRICES

Wax Paper Refill 63¢
Cut Rite, 11 7/8" width, 200 ft. roll

Napkins 63¢
Scott Family Rainbow
Giant Pack, pkg. of 180

Luncheon Meat 75¢
Swiss Premium
Ham or Beef, 12 oz. tin

Corned Beef 87¢
Swiss Premium, for lunches, 12 oz. tin

Dog Food 2 FOR 49¢
Society Beef Chunks, 14% oz. tin

Mir 88¢
Liquid Detergent, 2x24 fl. oz. bottle

SAFEWAY RECOMMENDS

Fabric Softener 39¢
French Maid, 32 fl. oz. bottle

Wieners and Beans 85¢
Burns, with Tomato Sauce 15 fl. oz. tin

Soap 5 FOR 69¢
Truly Fine Deodorant
White, Pink, Gold, Reg. Size Bars

Tomatoes 4 FOR \$1.00
Town House, Canada Choice
14 fl. oz. tin

SAFEWAY RECOMMENDS

Blanched Peanuts 89¢
Johnsons, 2 lb. pkg.

Pie Filling 37¢
Sun Rye, Apple, 19 fl. oz. tin

Cherry Pie Filling 53¢
Sun Rye, 19 fl. oz. tin

Cake Mix 63¢
Betty Crocker Angel Food
White, Confetti or Raspberry, 16 oz. pkg.

Bathroom Tissue

Cashmere
Assorted Colors



4 roll pkg. **45¢**

SUPER SAVERS

Hair Spray 88¢
VO 5
Regular, Super, Hard to Hold, 7 oz. tin

Laundry Detergent \$1.55
French Maid, No Phosphates, 5 lb. box

Pickles 39¢
McLaren's, Bread and Butter, 15 fl. oz. tin

Pizza Mix 89¢
Chef Boy Ar Dee, 2 Cheese, 28% oz. pkg.

Bread 4 FOR \$1.00
Skyline, Pioneer Mill
White or Brown Sliced, 20 oz. loaf

SUPER SAVER

Viva Towels 63¢
Scott White,
Yellow, Coral, 2 Ply, 2 roll pkg.

Spork 55¢
Luncheon Meat, 12 oz. tin

Baby Scott \$1.77
Regular Disposable Diapers, pkg. of 30

Confidets \$1.89
Sanitary Napkins, pkg. of 48

Dog Food 4 FOR 79¢
Society Beef and Eggs, 15 oz. tin

Pie Filling 65¢
Sun Rye, Blueberry, 19 fl. oz. tin

Instant Coffee \$2.09
Tasters Choice, 8 oz. jar

Lipton's Soup Mix

Chicken Noodle
4 1/2 oz. twin pack



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Spinach 2 FOR 49¢
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Apples

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McIntosh, B.C. & Ontario
Canada Fancy

4 Qt. Basket **\$1.09**

Watermelon

Florida, Plain or Whole **SUPER SAVER**

Pineapple

Hawaiian, Large size or **SUPER SAVER**

2 39¢

2 89¢



Tomatoes

Canada No. 1
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Red, Ripe

Try Stuffed
tomatoes, lb.

29¢



Oranges

Hamiltons Excellent Juicing

5 LB. BAG 69¢



Cauliflower

California

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39¢
Size 16, each

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19¢
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Parsnips

Imported Canada No. 1
16 oz. pkg.

SUPER SAVER

29¢
each

Potatoes

Canada No. 2, Washed
Netted Gems

SUPER SAVER

50 bag \$3.09

Our Half Acre

A PAGE DESIGNED TO INFORM FARM READERS ON CURRENT AGRICULTURAL NEWS AND EVENTS AND TO SERVE AS A FORUM FOR EXPRESSION OF FARMERS' OPINIONS

Income Tax Penalty Clause Included In Family Land Deals

Re-issued from the District Agriculturist's office.

Watch "non-arms length" (between certain relative) transactions that involve the transfer of all property, advises the head of the Alberta department of agriculture farm management branch, Bruce Hackett. Section 69 of the new Income Tax Act contains a penalty clause against the transfer of property at other than its fair market value.

The following is an example of a "non-arms length" transaction involving the transfer of property at higher than its fair market value. In this case the father sells land to his son at the highest possible price with the mistaken impression that if the son sells it out of the family at some future date, his capital gain will be minimized.

Come Prepared

Those of you who have registered for three-episode courses to be held in Morinville starting February 19 and 20 are reminded to bring the items they wish to re-upholster together with the required fabric and tools, on the first day of the course.

Only those of you whose registration fees have been received are scheduled to take part in these two courses. For the others a third course will be offered, possibly in April.

Care Suggestions For Snowmobile Garments

By Donna Mead, Assistant District Home Economist. CARE FOR SNOWMOBILE GARMENTS

As a result of testing carried out by the Ski-Doo company, the following methods were found to be most satisfactory in caring for snowmobile garments.

Sheep Course

By Wally Klatt, District Agriculturist.

A short course on sheep will be held in Vermilion, Alberta, on February 26, 27 and 28, 1973. The important aspects of sheep production will be covered. If you're interested in this course contact Wally Klatt, district agriculturist at Morinville - phone 256-3351.

Let us assume that the father bought the land in 1972 for \$28,000. In 1974 he sells it to his son for \$37,000. Although its fair market value in 1974 is only \$30,000 the father's capital gain will be \$37,000 less the original purchase price of \$28,000 or \$9,000, half of which is taxable.

However, under section 69 of the Income Tax Act, the price the son paid for the land (\$37,000) is disregarded and his starting point for calculating a future capital gain is deemed to be the fair market value (\$30,000). Hence, if he subsequently sells the land, his capital gain will be calculated from \$30,000, NOT from the \$37,000 which he actually paid. If the father had transferred the land at its fair market value in 1974, his capital gain would have been only \$2,000 (\$30,000 - \$28,000) as opposed to \$9,000. Since only half a capital gain is taxable, he would have paid tax on \$4,500.

By signing an agreement for sale at an inflated market value, the father ends up paying tax on a capital gain that is considerably greater than would have been the case had he transferred the land at its fair market value. However, the son reaps absolutely no benefit from the higher tax paid by his father. In actual fact, the capital gain between the fair market value and the inflated

value of the land will have been taxed twice when the land is sold again.

The other situation to which section 69 of the new Income Tax Act applies concerns a "non-arms length" transaction where the land is sold for less than its fair market value. In this case the father transfers the land for which he paid \$28,000 in 1972 to his son in 1974 for \$10,000. Its fair market value in 1974 is \$30,000. Under section 69 of the Income Tax Act the father is deemed to have sold his land at its fair market value (\$30,000) even though he actually sold it for \$10,000. Since his purchase price was \$28,000, he would have a capital gain of \$2,000, half of which would be taxable. However, under section 69 of the Tax Act, the son's starting point for calculating his future capital gains would be the price he actually paid - \$10,000. This means that if he were to sell the land at its fair market value the very next day, he would have a capital gain of

\$20,000 (the fair market value of \$30,000 minus his purchase price of \$10,000) and would be liable for tax on \$10,000.

By Pat Prymak, District Home Economist. SALES: CAN YOU SAVE? Sales can save money if you understand the terminology, have a knowledge of current costs and can judge value. But they can be a temptation because of the atmosphere generated by the store with seductive displays, flyers and "on-the-spot" announcements.

Inventory or Christmas clearance is the first sale of the year and is designed to part you from holiday cash while clearing out the store's supply of fancy trimmings, party clothes, cards and other items that are in use for a short period and that are too costly to store.

The White Sale is traditionally held in January when namebrand household lines

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The Homemaker

are discounted. However, seconds may be included, which are a good buy when large (uneven hems, poor color, etc.) don't affect the wearing quality.

What do terms like Percale, Muslin, etc., mean? These terms denote the number of threads per inch and thus the quality of the sheet. For good durability the greater the number of threads per inch, the better it is. 200 count Percale, 180 count and 140 count Muslin offer maximum durability. The balance of lengthwise and crosswise threads in one square inch denotes quality. For example, a sheet labelled 100 x 100 is better balanced or a more even weave than one labelled 130 x 107.

Are "No Iron" sheets really advantageous? Yes, for general everyday use, especially in a large family, these practical sheets are great time and labour savers.

How can I Recognize Top Quality Sheets Quickly? Items tell the workmanship story. They should be straight, neatly finished with close, even stitches and have closed ends, either tacked or back-stitched to prevent unravelling.

What need I know About Weave? A loosely woven sheet wears out quickly, soils and wrinkles easily. Too tight a weave doesn't let water and suds through. Hold the sheet up into the light and check the sheet.

Why Do Sheets Need to "Rest"? Sheets used constantly wear out more quickly. If given time to rest in your linen closet they dry out completely, don't have to withstand such continued pressure from bed making, laundering and ironing.

How do I care for colored sheets? They need no more care than white sheets will keep their color if treated as carefully as you do your white sheets. Mild bleaches can be safely used.

Is the Salvage of a Sheet Important? Very! Good sheets have a firm, strong selvedge that is clean and neat without loose, untidy threads.

How Can I Tell When a Sheet is "Filled"? Rub parts of the sheet together, or snap the fabric briskly. If a fine dust or white powdery substance appears, the sheet is "filled", to make it appear a better quality than it is. This filling washes out in the first laundering.

Clearance Sale generally means the selling off of incomplete and discontinued lines. The goods should carry the original price tag with the reduced price added by hand. However, this is no foolproof way of determining if this is a genuine reduction. It is necessary to know current prices. And the best buy is no bargain if there's no immediate use for the article, or if it is a garment that is going out of style.

Special Purchase means that the goods were specially manufactured for the sale by arrangement between the retailer and the manufacturer. You must be the judge of both value and quality. You could be buying top quality merchandise purchased in volume, or, items may be cheapened and manufactured to the sale price.

Birthday, Annual, Celebration sales generally feature the reduction of some eye-catcher brands, but be aware that sometimes lesser-quality merchandise may be used to fill out a particular line.

The above was taken from the January 1972 issue of *Chateaufort*. The key questions are:

1. Will this item be useful — now or in the future?
2. Is it necessary, a worth while luxury, or worthless for me?
3. Is the quality right for the use in mind — seconds are sometimes just as good?

Vegetable Growers Eligible For Aid

Issued from Wally Klatt's office.

The province has agreed on an emergency assistance program for potato and/or vegetable growers who were snowed under in 1972.

1. The farmer must have grown five acres or more of potatoes or vegetables in 1972.

2. Assistance will apply to unharvested acres of potatoes and/or vegetables to a maximum of 200 acres per farm at a rate of \$50 per acre (maximum payment \$10,000 for any one farm).

3. The program will be administered by the Plant Industry Division, Alberta Department of Agriculture, Edmonton.

4. Applications must be submitted prior to February 28, 1973.

5. Assistance payment will be made only to the farm operator (lessor not eligible).

For applications and further information, contact W. O. Klatt at 256-3351, Morinville.

Province Farm Job Program

By Wally Klatt, District Agriculturist.

The Alberta Government has initiated a training on-the-job program for farm workers. This is to more fully meet the needs of Alberta farmers for trained workers.

Farmers undertaking to train farm workers will be paid a grant of up to 50 per cent of the actual CASI WAGE paid or up to a maximum of \$200 per month per worker.

If you're interested, contact Wallace Klatt, district agriculturist, Morinville - phone 256-3351.

For uneven tears or burns a patch is the best bet as zig-zag stitching will not be waterproof.

If no cleaning instructions are given on a label, take the suit to a drycleaner. Some light soil marks or stains may be wiped with a damp cloth or soapy sponge. If the label tells you the suit is washable, do so by hand so the lining will not be damaged. However, short cycles using lukewarm water and a mild soap or detergent CAN be successful. AVOID HOT water temperatures as they damage the polyurethane backing that waterproofs the suit.

Check frequently, if washing by machine, to see that seams are not fraying. (This is common problem in ski jackets).

When cleaning helmets, water and mild soap may be enough. For hard to remove paint, grease or oil stains, rubbing alcohol should be used. Solvents will permanently damage the surface.

Snowmobile suits will last much longer (if they are given attention when it is needed).

Mending in general may be done by machine using polycore thread which matches the strength of the nylon fabric. The exterior of the thread being cotton, it helps to plug the hole made by the needle passing through the fabric. It will likely be necessary to open the suit through the facing of the front zipper and turn inside out in order to get at seam tears.

Sewn-on patches give better results than the iron-on kind. They should be of a waterproof material and sewn on the outside of the suit.

For straight tears, the suit is opened and a dart is sewn with at least two rows of stitching.

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Good Safety Habits

Publications

The following are available from this office. Indicate the ones you require by a check mark and mail the clipping to the Department of Agriculture, Box 510, Morinville, T0G 1P0.

- ... New Opportunities for Developing Farmers in Alberta.
- ... Magpie Trap
- ... Your Health and Your Driving
- ... Lamb Recipes
- ... Cooking Canada's Chicken

MORINVILLE MEMOS

By Flo McGinnis

I'm sorry but if you pass along a news item on Saturday afternoon or Sunday it is too late to get in the paper, so please remember to drop in to the McGinnis Realty office by noon on Friday if you have some material. Thanks.

The election results were announced at the annual Parish meeting held Sunday, January 21. Four new members elected for three year terms are: Ralph Gaetz, Andre Sabourin, Paul Brochu, and Rene Chevallier. Financial reports for the parish, hall and the activities committee were presented for 1972. Those assembled enjoyed two short films followed by coffee and donuts.

The Mothers' Local for guides and brownies will be meeting at the Legion Hall at 7:30 p.m. on February 8 to proceed with plans for the upcoming bazaar, tea and bake sale. All mothers are please urged to attend as it is only with your assistance and guidance that projects will be successful.

In last week's Library news we omitted the name of Mrs. Cecile Gregoire, the retiring chairman. Mrs. Gregoire was on the board for two years, serving as chairman for 1972 and the board gave her a sincere vote of thanks at its annual meeting.

The names of our carnival night contestants have been announced. A little later you can read about each one, but for now - the names Bella Carlson, Louise Dup-

uis, Ann-Marie Kolth, Kim Rodgers, Wanda Squire and Janice VanBrabant. These girls are in the gold and silver medal classes. Also announced was that for the first time, matching skating outfits are being introduced. They will be in the Lions' colors and it should make a very impressive showing at the carnival on March 11th.

Congratulations go out to Stella Boissonnault and Robert Lepage who were engaged at Christmas. Stella is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Boissonnault, Robert the son of Mrs. Cecile Lepage, all of Morinville. Wedding plans are for October.

The Senior Citizens Rendezvous Club now reports a paid-up membership of 54 and they are busy with the new clubhouse. Finishing work is progressing well, as we now see curtains up and counter top completed. The regular Wednesday afternoon card parties con-

tinue as usual, with ever-increasing participation.

Morinville Lions Club welcomes Bing Chan as a new member, a transfer from the Wainwright Club. At the supper meeting held January 22 Lion Bing drew the winning ticket from the Lions' \$100 bill raffle. The names on the lucky ticket were Laura Lynn Parko and Patty Ann Stapleton, tiny grand-daughters of Lion Art Stapleton. Congratulations to the lucky little girls and especially to the club for a job well done, for they presented the senior citizens with a cheque for the same amount.

The opening of the Frontiersman Hotel this weekend marks another milestone in the progress of "The Town With a Future."

Don't forget the Board of Trade meeting Monday, Feb. 5, with guest speaker Ernie Jamison our M.L.A.

Sgt. Ringrose On Vietnam Mission

By Flo McGinnis

The Vietnam Peace Agreement has been the topic of discussion across the whole of Canada for some time now, but for some, it's much more real.

Sgt Bob Ringrose left Morinville early on the morning of January 25 on the first leg of his journey to Saigon. As part of Canada's "Observation Team", actual duties "heavy", period of residence "temporary", and outcome - "hopeful".

It must make a real reasonably unsettled at the best of times.

Sgt. Ringrose, who is in charge of Army Food Services, is the only member of Canadian Forces Base Edmonton to be included in this first draft of the Canadian Peace-Keeping contingent assigned to duties in Vietnam.

Come March of this year Bob will have served a full 22 years with the forces. A native of Kirkland Lake, Ontario, he has served on numerous bases across Canada as well as in England. Bob met and married his wife Jean while in England and of course brought her back to live in Canada. They have one daughter, Carolyn, and two sons David and Michael. Sgt. Ringrose was transferred to Canadian Forces Base Edmonton from the base in Mooseone, Ontario where the family had spent five years in semi-isolation. After living in Edmonton in the married quarters at Greisbach, the Ringroses will resist Morinville any longer. They purchased the former Rooke home and quickly became a part of the community.

Jean and the children will be keeping the home fires burning while Bob is away, which of course everyone hopes is not too long.

Morinville Rec. Board Reviews Active 1972

By Flo McGinnis

January 25 saw the annual meeting of the Recreation Board and election of officers for 1973. The chairman's report reviewed the quite successful year that the board had in 1972, reporting the following:

A total of 15 people were sponsored to Leadership Schools and courses for a cumulative total of 69 days of instruction. Through these courses they have offered instruction and leadership in various areas of community activity.

Three new projects were carried out with extremely good response from the residents. A pedal pushers club was organized; a 10 week ladies keep fit class was held, and a community hallowe'en party was introduced for the first time.

The Rec Board worked in conjunction with the STEP program, assisting in obtaining donations totalling \$425 to be used for the senior citizens' summer activities. Working with the Special

cial Projects Class from the G. P. Vanier High School a Pop-In Centre for youngsters was organized. A course in Christmas crafts was also carried out. An information courtesy booklet for residents has been set up and has gone to print, to be ready shortly.

Members of the board put much time and energy into presentations to the town council regarding several subjects, the most important of which was the upgrading of Heritage Lake. And for the first time, teen reps were invited to work with the board as advisors. This has proven very beneficial. During the year the Morinville Rec Board tried to work in closer conjunction with the MD Rec Board.

Three representatives sat on the Steering Committee for Regional Recreation and continued to encourage an agreement to beset upon which would be beneficial to all communities concerned.

Regular news bulletins appeared in the papers dur-

ing the year, with the purpose of keeping the public informed and trying to improve the communication link.

Expressing the opinion that these were all steps in the right direction, the chairman stated that if participation was any indication, then there is no reason why double the number of projects could not be completed successfully in the coming year.

Officers for 1973 are: Chairman - Flo McGinnis; vice-chairman, Ron Lambert; acting secretary Karen Weston. Members: Dorothy Dalgault, Anne Kryskow, Marcel VanBrabant, Harvey Alderson. Teen reps: Carol Wojtkiw, Kelvin Saulderson.

The board is still in need of a volunteer secretary. If you would like to assist, and become involved in community work please contact one of the members.

February 16 is the date of the next meeting at which time planning for a summer playground will begin.

Van De Walle named to Board

Speaking to the annual meeting of the ARGA, John Channon, recently appointed chairman of the Alberta Grain Commission and Gordon Earl of the Canadian Wheat Board disagreed sharply on the controversial subject of "rapeseed quota deliveries."

Mr. G. Earl stated that farmers making rapeseed deliveries over their quota to the Lethbridge Processing Plant were violating the existing regulations in Canada. Grains Act administered by the Canadian Wheat Board while Mr. Channon was of the opinion that quota im-

positions imposed by the Wheat Board on rapeseed produced and delivered to processing plants in the province can not be tolerated by rapeseed producers.

Panel members discussing "RAPESEED MARKETING" were Dobson Lee, Uniform; Gordon Earl, Canadian Wheat Board; J. A. Stuart, Winnipeg Grain Exchange; William Neilson, National Grain Co. In 1972 Canada exported over 47 million bushels of rapeseed. Come to the end of the crop year there will be very little carry over. The prospects for domestic and export



REEVE VAN DE WALLE

sales look bright for 1973. Walter Van De Walle, prominent rapeseed grower, from the Legal area was elected to the board of directors of the Alberta Rapeseed Growers Association and will represent the district north and east of Edmonton, one of the best rapeseed producing areas in the province. The Association plans a membership drive in February and seminars on "Production and Marketing" in March. Mr. Van De Walle indicated that he is keenly interested in having a rapeseed processing plant established in this part of the province.

Legal Pioneer passes at 80 years

By Lucienne Montpelt

Mrs. Leona Meysembourg a long time resident of Legal passed away on January 13 at the age of 80 years at the Westlock Hospital.

Mrs. Meysembourg was born in Valette, Nebraska, U.S.A., in 1893.

She married Joseph Bouchard and the couple had three children. He predeceased her in 1942.

She remarried to John Meysembourg in 1943 in Melanman and they moved to Legal several days later. They farmed in the district

until their retirement in 1963, when they moved to the village.

Her son Father Albert Bouchard celebrated the funeral mass with interment in the local cemetery. The deceased was a member of Les Femmes Chretiennes and members of the organization were honorary pallbearers. Active pallbearers were Jos Pare, Ladis Messier, Lloyd Kachowski, Eugene Theroux, John Connors and Paul Clouthier. She leaves to mourn her husband John, three sons, Father Albert Bouchard, St. Isidore, Henry Bouchard, Falher, and Girard, High Prairie; two brothers, Albert Sousey, Winnipeg; Felix Sousey, High Prairie and seven grandchildren.



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Calahoo's Robert Walker credited with success - interpretive Park plan

By Mrs. H. Norris

Relatives, former neighbors and schoolmates of Robert Walker, who was born and raised in Calahoo and received his early education in the Calahoo schools graduating from Camilla School, Riviere Qui Barre in 1958, will no doubt be interested to learn of his continued success in his chosen life's work.

As reported in the Riding Mountain National Park, Manitoba, "Parkland Enterprise" issue, September 15, 1972; "Wasagaming News Round-Up," by Emma Ringstrom, Quote:

"If favorable written comments on the various aspects of the Park Interpretive Program in the Riding Mountain National Park are any indication of the rating it deserves, we are fortunate in our area. Remarks such as 'very well organized', 'best we've ever seen', 'extremely good,' are some of those left on the books by our many patrons who obviously support such programs in other parks than ours.

If the program is successful the credit must go to the enthusiasm and ambition of our park naturalist, Robert Walker, who has spent seven years here, devoting his entire energy, and interest to enlarging and improving the program.

He came here in 1965 from the University of Guelph, Ontario, where he had just completed three

years study in wildlife management. After securing his degree in science from the University of Alberta, he stepped into the program when the concept of "back to nature" was being injected into the national Parks all over Canada.

There were scoffers of the idea then and there still are, but the number is decreasing each year as is evident in statistics released by him today -- Interest is increasing in the nature program. It must be Robbie's enthusiasm rubbing off.

Eighty-one thousand and two hundred (81,200) park patrons supported the park interpretive Program this past season, nine hundred and fourteen (914) youngsters attended the Junior Interpretive Program, nine thousand, two hundred and twenty-two (9,222) attended the slide programs. A large number of these slides Robert took himself, and he has some new slides he is anxious to show," Unquote.

The article goes on to explain that "Robert conducts hikes through the park explaining the various varieties of wildlife, birds, trees and plants. He conducts audio-visual programs, and programs for children. He takes groups of architectural students out to the escarpment for sketching. He designed a board walk along and through the marsh, over a mile long, that was completed in 1971 under the "winter works

program"

I would like to add that Robert was the recipient of four (4) scholarships while attending university. The first one of \$300 was from the Edmonton Bird Club, the other three were of \$1,000 each from Canadian Industries Ltd.

While Robert is the 'year around' park naturalist he has as many as 10 assistants in the summer months. Robert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Walker of Calahoo and Edmonton.

EDITOR'S NOTE: We are grateful to Annie Norris of Devon, Alberta, for sending this article on two counts: for news of a district man and for a description of a parks program, which will be of wide general interest.

Around Sturgeon

Mrs. Annie Norris of Devon, Alberta, a former Calahoo resident is presently working on volume number 5 of a "Calahoo Scrapbook," which she began 47 years ago when she came there as a bride. The Norris's left the district when they retired in 1964 in Devon. The Provincial Museum and Archives have asked to have the scrapbook volumes when Mrs. Norris has no further use for them. Her niece, Mrs. Ambrose Scott, sends her the Gazette each week, for assistance

By Lucienne Montpetit

The people from Legal and district will definitely have a number of weddings to attend to in the coming months with all the engagements. There are three more that I am happy to announce this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mercier are happy to announce the engagement of their oldest daughter Bernice to Martin Montpetit, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Montpetit. The date has not been decided yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Henri Brisson wish to announce the engagement of their daughter Yvonne to Raymond de Champlain, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fernand de Champlain from Vimy.

Mr. John Paluck was engaged to Mrs. Rosie Ursulak from Blue River B.C. Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Labelle a long time friend of Rosie Ursulak, introduced her to John and this acquaintance matured to a future wedding.

with the project.

Gunny sack gowns, gaily-patched pants, blinder wine belts, macaron necklaces and a delightful array of beat up old hats made for some great Hard Time outfits at the dance Saturday night in Picardville, when residents, former residents and guests enjoyed an old time dance. The fellows with one shoe of one color and one of another seemed to keep up with the polkas as well as the next ones, and everybody had a grand time.

LEGAL LOCALS

I would like to correct a mistake I made last week mentioning that Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Chauvet moved in their new home, it should have been Robert Chauvet.

Mr. Robert Mercier is attending the Farm Management course in Morinville.

Expressions of sympathy are extended to Mr. John Meyssembourg who is mourning the loss of his nephew Jean Tieffer from Luxembourg, It's most unfortunate that Jean passed away before he had a chance to come and visit with his uncle in Legal as planned for the month of May.

The annual meeting of the Community Hall will be held on February 5. Everyone welcome, please attend because some changes of the Hall are foreseen.

Les Femmes Chretiennes will hold their monthly meeting at the Chateau on February 5 at 8 p.m.

Dr. Normand Carriere from Ottawa attended a convention in Edmonton which gave him the opportunity to visit his dad at the Youville Home and Mrs. Carriere in Legal.

Mrs. Arthur Chamberland is mourning the loss of her dear husband Arthur, who passed away on January 28, also a brother to Bruno Chamberland, Mrs. Frank Prefontaine and Mrs. Lucien Cyr. Sincere condolences to the bereaved families. Funeral services will be held in St. Emile's Church in Legal on Thursday, Feb.

ist.

Bernie Flizer (Jr.) and Mrs. Guimont are patients in the hospital.

An appreciative audience gave a standing ovation to Viola Leger for her excellent performance as a one woman show, Canada's favorite scrubwoman La Sagouine was a French Canadian play written by Antonin Maillet, depicting the wife of an Acadian oyster fisherman. Viola is a high school drama teacher from Moncton, N.B., and is taking a leave of absence, as a result of her success, of her portrayal of La Sagouine. She is sponsored by the Theatre Francais d'Edmonton.

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Femmes Chretiennes meet in Legal

By Lucienne Montpetit

Les Femmes Chretiennes held their monthly meeting on January 15, at the Rec. Centre. The meeting was opened by the prayer and the reading of the Christian Family.

Minutes were read, then the secretary read the thank you note received from Mrs. Leo de Champlain.

The annual Blessing of the Babies born in 1972 will be held on February 4 followed by a lunch served for the parents and godparents

at the Rec. Centre.

The library committee would like to remind everyone that the fees will be due on February 3 and they invite everyone to patronize more the library. The fees are just \$2 per family, it is very reasonable when you think that you have access to hundreds of books.

The next meeting will be held on February 5 at the Chateau Sturgeon to enable our senior members to attend.

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4H Council plans future activities

On Tuesday, Jan. 23, at 8:10 p.m. President Mrs. Leona Petherbridge called to order a meeting of the Sturgeon 4H Council. After the pledge was given, Secretary Deborah Uchaz read the minutes. These were adopted, and then business arising from the minutes was taken care of.

Mrs. Howard Borge, from the Department of Youth, gave a report on the possibility of an exchange trip to Cut Banks, Montana. This exchange appears to be likely to proceed. The Department of Youth is to book a Greyhound 47-passenger bus for the tentatively set date of August 11. The exchange would be from August

11 - 19. Age limit for Sturgeon 4H members participating in the exchange is to be 16 as of January 1, 1973. Deadline for application will be June 1st. Forms will be sent out to the clubs. Two chaperones will be accompanying members on the bus. Cost will be approximately \$21.50 per person, return.

Saturday, March 10 has been set as the date for Sturgeon 4H bowling and curling - both to start at 9 a.m. Deadline for the lists of members bowling and curling is February 15. These lists are to be sent to Mr. Gordon Fehr, R.R.1 Morinville.

The Sturgeon 4H Senior speak-offs are to be held at

Villeneuve on Monday, April 2. Bon Accord will host the junior speak-offs on Friday, April 6.

Janice Meakin gave a treasurer's report. The Sturgeon Council has, she presented, a balance of \$97.19. Our bank account is to be changed from the Royal Bank of Canada at Northgate to the Royal Bank at Morinville, for reasons of convenience. It was moved and carried that treasurer's books be audited by a club leader before being handed on to the next treasurer.

The Edison curl-o-rama will be on March 31. Eight members can be sent from Sturgeon. Delegates will be chosen March 10. Members must be prepared to decide then (at St. Albert) if they wish to go. The cost is \$2 per person.

Hockey results Legal journey

By Lucienne Montpelt

The slogan was used for minor hockey week, "Take your boy to the arena don't make him a Loner" proved to be effective, and parents were numerous. The boys and people involved appreciated this support.

Saturday morning the Shaver tournament started off with Legal winning the first game over Gibbons. Vimy then won over Morinville in the second game. In the third game Morinville All Stars defeated Bon Accord.

In the semi finals Legal won over Vimy, while the All Stars had a bye. In the final game Legal lost to the All Stars by a score of 3 to 1.

In the affiliate League Mite-Peeewe finals, Sturgeon Valley Community League easily defeated Villeneuve.

In the bantam finals Redwater defeated Gibbons. The midjet finals in a very hard and well played game Legal and Redwater played overtime to break 1 to 1 tie. After three minutes of overtime Legal broke the tie ending the game 2 - 1.

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Rural Recreation

By Carl Royan

INTRODUCTORY WINTER COURSES

There are three winter introductory courses available to anyone wishing to take them in the near future. The courses are: 1) Cross Country Ski Touring Courses (for Beginners) to be held at the Alberta Outdoor Education Centre - Blue Lake - Hinton, Alberta on February 17 and 18 or February 23 -

25, 2) Introductory Winter Bush Survival Course at the same location as above on February 10 and 11 or March 24 and 25, 3) Introductory Winter Camping Skills at the same location as above on February 17 and 18 or February 24 and 25.

Any resident of Sturgeon interested in participating in any of the above courses and willing to assist in establishing a course in the

same in your area contact the recreation department 424-6276 or 256-3323 for more information.

GOLF LESSONS:

There will be golf lessons organized shortly in Morinville and any other location where interest warrants. The learn-to-golf sessions will be given by a professional from one of the local courses so they will be well worthwhile. The dates and cost of the lessons will be published shortly so be watching the Gazette for details. KARATE:

It is possible that Karate lessons may be established in Riviere Qui Barre. Would anyone interested in participating in these classes please contact the Recreation Department at 256-3322 or 424-6276.

Deadline Extended For \$50 Rent Grant

The deadline for a senior citizen to apply for his \$50 renter assistance, if he is a renter; or his homeowner assistance, if he is a homeowner, has been extended two months from December 31st this year to February 28th in 1973.

This extension of time was necessary because some senior citizens are not aware of this benefit available to them under the terms of the Senior Citizens Shelter Assistance Act, passed at the spring session of the Legislature.

As of November 30, only 10,500 of an estimated 40,000 renters had applied for rental assistance. On the other hand, senior citizens homeowners have completed most of their applications with 21,000 having opted for a credit equivalent to the provincial school levy.

As for the regular ongoing Homeowners Tax Discount Plan, available to all homeowners whether they are under or over age 65, applications are coming forward much the same as in other years. There were 220,358 of these applications processed at the end of November, which, when added to the 21,000 senior citizen homeowner claimants, make a situation similar for the same period in 1971.

Mr. Russell said our main concern is with the certainty that so many renters are either leaving their applications to a very late date, or are unaware of a right to claim this \$50 assistance.

Any senior citizen who is renting, or has rented, for his normal place of residence in 1972 should look into his entitlement to make this claim for \$50 assistance. Application forms are available in all Treasurer Branches, all municipal offices

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GIBBONS NOTES

The Local Association of the Builders held a meeting Monday, Jan. 22 at the Sunday School with a fair turnout of parents. It was decided to keep the Brownies in one pack as Mrs. Kennedy and June Fraser have volunteered their services thus giving six leaders and helpers for the 35 girls. Six Guiders will be attending the Guider Camp at St. Albert on February 3. Several Guiders will also attend the meeting at Mrs. Lampkin at Bon Accord to arrange for the St. Johns Ambulance Course Feb. 12 - 27. The Local Association will be holding a St. Patrick's Tea on March 17. Mrs. Edna Noel will be attending the Commissioners meeting - March 26 - 29 at Grande Prairie. A mother and daughter banquet was suggested for a later date. If you would like to have this again this year please let your Guiders know. The next meeting is Feb. 26 at 8 p.m. in the Sunday School. Your participation at these meetings insures future Guiding groups for your girls. Please attend.

A large member of the Gibbons minor league hockey players attended the Oil King game Jan. 26 with tickets courtesy of Jack Hogg and J. Thorson. Neil Taylor won a hockey stick in the lucky draw and Mr. Ron Smith a bucket of chicken.

The Gibbons Mites won their first game of the Minor Hockey Week Tournament against Bon Accord 11 - 1. Scoring for Gibbons Shaun Kerr - 4; Kevin McLean - 3; Kenny Wood - 2; Donald Epp - 1; David Neale - 1. On Thursday the Mites lost 11 - 4 to Vimy. Scoring

for Gibbons, David Neale - 2 and one each for Raul Dykstra and Kenny Wood. The Peeeweos lost their first game against Morinville 13 - 0. The Bantams scored a 4 - 3 win over Morinville to advance to the finals. Scoring for Gibbons with one each - Jamie Kerr, Doug Pelletier, Bill Visscher, Ricky Thorson.

The Gibbons Shavers played their first game Jan. 20 at Bon Accord, losing 3 - 1. Jeff Roccio scored for Gibbons. Mr. Kipling is coaching the boys courtesy of the Lions Club. The Peeeweos are well outfitted with new uniforms provided by the Gibbons Lions Club.

More entries are needed for the Sno Ball '73 parade, February 17.

Sincere sympathies of the district to the Babe Belair family in the tragic death of nine year old Joann while vacationing with her parents in New Zealand.

The semi annual meeting of the Gibbons Teen Club was held Dec. 27, 1972 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Krupa. Many topics were discussed and some changes made.

There will be bingo on the third Wednesday of each month for the general public.

On every second Wednesday of each month, members only may attend meeting and gym activities.

No smoking allowed in the school during the evening.

A teen dance will be held in the Community Hall on Friday, Feb. 16 - Let's all get out and get Snowball 73 Carnival off to a good start. Also the Snowball Queen will be crowned at this dance.

IMPORTANT ANNUAL MEETING

Monday, Feb. 5 - 8 p.m.

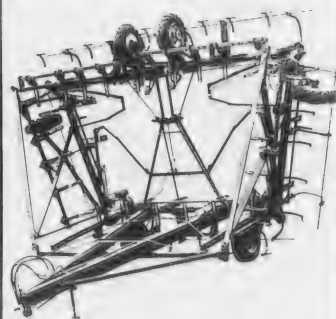
LEGAL COMMUNITY CENTRE

The annual report will be presented and election of an executive held. Residents are urged to attend this important meeting and take part in discussions regarding expansion and renovation plans for the Community Centre.

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FIRST MONDAY OF MONTH - Ladies Auxiliary to the Legion #226 meeting at Gibbons Legion Hall 8 p.m.

FIRST TUESDAY OF MONTH - Gibbons Recreation Board meeting in village office - 7:30 p.m.

FIRST WEDNESDAY OF MONTH - Legion #226 meeting at Gibbons Legion Hall - 7:30 p.m.

FIRST WEDNESDAY OF MONTH - ACW meeting at various homes, Phone 799-5535.

WEDNESDAYS: At Gibbons School - Blago every Wednesday from 7:30 - 9 p.m., followed by Gym activities for teen-agers from 8 - 10:30 p.m.

SUN, FEB. 11 - Whist Drive sponsored by CWL in the Villeneuve Community Hall at 8 p.m. Admission is 75¢ - lunch is free - everyone is welcome.

TUES, FEB. 13 - A bingo at the Namoo Community Hall, sponsored by the Sturgeon Valley Dairy Club at 8 p.m.

FEB. 16 - 17 - NAMOO WINTER CARNIVAL

What Is Recreation?

By Carl Royan
WHAT IS RECREATION? What is recreation? "Any socially acceptable leisure time activity undertaken voluntarily by the participant for his or her own enjoyment." Many persons are under the understanding that the only activities that are of a recreational nature are athletics such as baseball and hockey. Athletics is only one aspect of recreation. Some other branches include arts and crafts, cultural activities, playgrounds libraries and outdoor recreation.

The individual who has a rich recreation life, is more likely to be well balanced, law abiding, and healthier than the person deprived of recreational opportunities. It needs to be explained however, that recreation is not primarily a means for attaining some objectives as

health, good conductor morals, much as it may seem to contribute to these fields. The chief value lies in the power to enrich the life of individuals. It seems that an individual who has good recreation opportunities is less likely to live only for weekends therefore enjoying seven days a week instead of only two.

The prime function of public recreation is to provide basic services to ALL people. Through community resources and public support higher standards can be obtained. Opportunities should be available to all regardless of age, sex, religion, race, or economic status.

The only way the above objectives can be accomplished properly is if the residents of a given area served by a recreation board are included in the planning of recreational services. With this in mind the MD of Sturgeon Council in co-operation with the Sturgeon Recreation Board will be sending a recreation poll to all ratepayers with the 1972 financial statement. This opinion poll will ask ratepayers as to what extent they are willing to be taxed, for public recreation services.

Before the poll is mailed there will be a series of public meetings at which time more information can be obtained and questions about the poll can be asked. The public relations committee of the MD of Sturgeon Recreation Board invite everyone to watch for the date of the meeting in your area in forthcoming editions of the Gazette and

Caroline Kramps dies at 87

By Jeanne Laplante
Funeral services were held on Wednesday, Jan. 17 for Mrs. Caroline Kramps 87 years of age who passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital, Edmonton, after a lengthy illness. Funeral mass was celebrated by Rev. L. Viel, Mgr. Rooney, Rev. D. Mac in the local church cemetery. She was predeceased by her husband in 1951.

Born in Hungary, Mrs. Kramps came to Canada in 1889. She married Mr. August Kramps in Morinville in 1903 where they farmed in the Riviere Qui Barre district till 1920. They moved to Portland where they stayed till 1925 and came back to Daysland and the Vimy district in 1935.

She leaves to mourn her loss eight sons, John and Anthony, Crooked Creek, Alberta; William and August Pleadville; Raymond, Red Deer; Leonard, Prince George; Charlie and George Edmonton; five daughters, Sister M. Vincent, S. P. Winnipeg, Mrs. H. (Theresa) Shilute, Rosalind, Mrs. C. (Annie) Lingie, Skagway, Alaska; Mrs. P. (Cecilia) Demert, Grande Prairie, and Sister Charlotte, Edmonton; four sisters, Mary Kramps, Vimy; Josephine Keiser and Annie Goodman, Edmonton, and Theresa Hassler, Oregon; one brother, George Muller, Sandy Lake. She also boasted of 51 grandchildren and 38 great grandchildren.

Palbearers were all great grandchildren, namely Jimmy, Laurier, Francis and Garry Kramps, Edward Shilute, Bruce Demert, Western Funeral Services (Edmonton) Ltd., were in charge of funeral arrangements.

The Kramps family wish to express sincere thanks to relatives, friends and neighbors for their messages of sympathy, floral tributes and help during their recent loss. Special thanks to the priests, palbearers and to the ladies who prepared and served the tasty lunch in the Vimy Community Centre following the church services.

then to attend the meeting located in your area. More people at the meetings will allow for a better planned recreation program for your family.

Horse Hill League Annual Meeting

By Peggy Wenzel

Approximately 40 district people were present for the annual meeting of the Horse Hill Community League held January 25th in the school. Carl Royan, recreation director for the MD of Sturgeon also attended.

A report from the building committee revealed that good progress is being made on the new kitchen addition. Volunteer help is really needed on this project, and anyone who can spare a day or even a few hours - is asked to telephone Jim Bentley, 799-5787, Terry Bocock 799-5791, or Gordon Wenzel at 799-5783.

The subject of membership fees was discussed and a motion was passed: Anyone who is a member in good standing of any community league in MD Sturgeon can take classes offered at Horse Hill at the same fee as Horse Hill league members. Others interested must become a member of the league in order to participate at this fee rate.

The following are elected as officers for 1973: President, Gordon Wenzel; vice-president, Floyd Cruden; secretary, Kathleen Bocock; treasurer, Doris Arrison; board of directors - three

members: Jim McGoachy, Harvey Murphy, Dave Zaychuk. Committees for sports entertainment, building and audit were set up.

Community league meetings will be held the last Thursday of every month. Next meeting will be held February 22 at 8 p.m. in the school.

Peggy Wenzel was named news reporter for the St. Albert and Sturgeon Gazette. Any news of interest and district happenings can be phoned to her at 799-5783 by the Thursday preceding the week of publication. Your help in enabling Peggy to report on all district news will be appreciated.

Report From Bon Accord

Community Centre from 5 - 7 p.m.

There are still a few openings for anyone wishing to take copper tooling. The class begins on Wednesday, Feb. 7 at 8:30. Telephone Alice Strawson, 298-2124. The registration for leathercraft is not limited. This class also begins on Feb. 7. For further details telephone Olga Ferby, 298-2227.

Bill Deedman, Marshall Hewitt, Earl Mulligan and Harry Mulligan represented Bon Accord and district telephone subscribers at a meeting held at the Municipal Office in Morinville on January 26.

Organization of a Joint Ambulance Brigade for Gibbons and Bon Accord will be held at the home of Mrs. Lampkin on Feb. 8. Election of officers will take place at this meeting. Bon Accord requires adult volunteers for the Brigade. A well trained emergency squad is needed to prove a real asset to our town, even a life-saver. And who knows, it could be your own.

Most recent hockey casualties are Alvin White and Ray Glade of the B.A. bantams. Both required hospitalization. Alvin with a gashed forehead and Ray with a split tongue. Chuck Critchley is sporting a cut, but is still able to play.

Golden Age Club meets in Gazebo

By Liz McLeod

January 10 was a beautiful day to gather at the Gazebo for the bi-monthly meeting of the Golden Age Club of Calahoo.

Thirty-three neighbors and friends gathered to enjoy each other's company in playing cards, darts and bingo.

Recreation director Laurence Coulombe brought along equipment for the shuffleboard which will be painted onto the floor for future entertainment.

In the short business session it was decided memberships will be paid at the beginning of each year. It was reported that the club now owns 10 decks of cards. It was decided to hold a Valentine party, as the next meeting falls on Valentine's Day, February 14 so a little reminder to all who attend this meeting, could you please bring a small gift or prize (wrapped) for the

game which will be played that day.

Mrs. John Dozorec won the last game of bingo, the full house.

Lunch was enjoyed and candles were lit on the birthday cake for Mrs. Carl Bergstreiser whose birthday was on January 24.

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News from Calahoo

by Liz McLeod

The Calahoo Sports Association hope there will be better turnout at their next bow, "The Love Bug" to be held in the gazebo on Feb. 3. These shows are designed or community pleasure so it is hoped the weather will also co-operate.

Speaking of the Gazebo, in a previous article the meaning of the word was questioned. Upon going through some Books of Knowledge, and with Lorna Brown's help, we came up with this conclusion:

GAZEBO, meaning: an open air building, came from the Latin, not Greek, word, Belvedere, or pavilion having a floor and a roof with its sides open. Calahoo's Gazebo wall panels do, in fact, open up.

David and Rhonda Peel (nee Quintal) are receiving congratulations these days on the birth of their darling daughter, Lise Marie, born December 13, weighing 7 lbs. 1 1/2 ozs. and a whole 22 inches long. Speaking with Rhonda the other day, she let us know Lise is doing really well, and is her grandparents, and Black and Mary Quintal's, pride and

joy. Lise also makes Mr. Frank Gawron a very proud great grandfather.

Mr. Joseph Freitag was pleased to have his nephew and family come out for a visit last Sunday. Hans and Marianne Lummer with boys Charles and Andre and baby Michelle enjoyed the lovely drive and visit.

Oops, a slight error occurred in my last column as I gave the laurels to the wrong team. The item should have read: Coach Cliff Fowler's Canucks, pee-wee hockey team won 13 - 0 over Devon's No. 2 team. On Jan. 27 these same peewees played at Spruce Grove at Calahoo with Spruce Grove coming out the win 5 - 4. Even though the Canucks lost this last game they are tied for second place in the Parkland Minor Hockey League. My what a show these boys put on - and what a pity more parents don't come out to cheer them on.

This correspondent had opportunity while in the city to watch Mr. and Mrs. F. Brown's grandchildren play hockey in the McLeod Community League. Danny and Denis Sabourin were on diff-

erent teams and it was so amusing to watch them go all out. In all the games played during my three weeks stay the boys' team's either won or tied the score. Sure is interesting to note how few people know or have heard of Calahoo. Lucky I was wearing the Calahoo Sports Association jacket and some asked: "Is that near Grande Prairie, or in Alberta?"

The Bantams with Serge Giroux coaching have had a good year thus far. On Saturday, Jan. 27 they lost a good game against Enoch at Calahoo 7 - 2, but on Jan. 28 they played an exhibition game against Riviere Qui Barre and won it 13 - 1. Good going boys.

Now there is a third boys hockey team, the Mites, with Emile Berube coaching, and really there is nothing more fun to watch than these youngsters on skates, so I would urge you all especially parents to make the effort of getting out to watch the boys play hockey. We have been blessed with such beautiful weather there's just no excuse.

And a big bouquet to the coaches who take the time to help these youngsters enjoy such a healthy sport.

Keep up the good work: Calahoo Scorpions. Do hope you keep the team spirit up and stay on top in the league.

The Calahoo Sports Association held a dance in the Gazebo on January 27 with a good turnout and fun for all. The draw was made on the tickets sold to help buy uniforms and such for the boys teams. 1st prize, a radio, went to Ellwood-Truman; 2nd prize, a pair of tickets to the Edmonton Oilers hockey game was won by Jeanette Patrick. Congratulations.

Gunn, Halliwell and Christensen. He then worked for Canadian Phoenix Steel and Pipe for one year and is now with the accounting firm of Clarkson and Gordon. Douglas is married to the former Diane Hallies of Camrose. They make their home in Edmonton. He is interested in many sports and coaches a junior hockey team. He is also a member of the Kinsmen Club.

Alan Crozier is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. John C. (Bud) Crozier of Namao. He attended Namao School and the University of Alberta graduating with a Commerce Degree in 1970. Alan articulated for two years with the firm of Ernst and Ernst, chartered accountants and is still with the firm. He and his wife the former Susan Kocher of Red Deer, make their home at Namao. He is keenly interested in hunting and fishing.



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NAMAO NEWS

By Norma Crozier

The February meeting of Namao UCW will be held at the home of Mrs. Jack McLaughlin on February 14 at 1:30 p.m. Everybody welcome.

Namao Mothers Take A Break group will be having a speaker to talk on "Cosmetic and Skin Care" on Feb. 6 at 10:30 a.m. in the Elementary School. On Feb. 13 Marilyn Hemming will speak on "Recycling, Revive and Reuse" at 10:30 a.m. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Mrs. Verna Barnett is convalescing in the Glenrose Hospital, Edmonton. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Carruthers have returned from a two week holiday in Hawaii. The weather was just a bit balmy than ours, in the 80's. Mr. and Mrs. Art Yeske, formerly of Namao, accompanied them.

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Curling Club held their annual bonspiel on Jan. 25, 26 and 27. Winners of the Grand Challenge were the Miles rink of Sherwood Park with runners up the Mary Clark rink, with Norma Crozier, third, marion Holmes, second and Donna Holmes, lead. With the weather 40 degrees warmer than last year, everyone thoroughly enjoyed the bonspiel.

Mrs. Mary Yanier is pleased to announce the engagement of her daughter Gall Patricia, to Mr. Robert Cameron, youngest son of Mr.

and Mrs. Donald Cameron of Namao. Wedding to take place July 28, 1973 at 2 p.m. Central United Church

It was very late and pedestrian had been stopped by the police.

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Going to a lecture", he replied.

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"You sure would", sighed the man, "if you knew my wife."

IN THE MATTER OF The Expropriation Procedure Act, and

IN THE MATTER OF the expropriation of the South West Quarter of Section Fourteen (14), Township Fifty-six (56) Range Twenty-three (23), West of the Fourth Meridian, in the said Province, lying North and West of the North Westerly Boundary of the Canadian Northern Western Railway Companies Right-of-Way as shown on Railway Plan 4315 A.Q. containing Eleven and Twenty Hundredths (1.20) acres more or less. EXCEPTING THEREOUT Four and Sixteen Hundredths (4.16) acres more or less for Road to the Crown as shown on Instrument No. 2705 P.X. The land hereby described containing Seven and Four One Hundredths (7.04) acres, more or less, RESERVING UNTO HER MAJESTY ALL MINES AND MINERALS.

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A Plan of the land to be expropriated is on file in the office of the Secretary Treasurer of the Village of Gibbons and the Plan is available for inspection between the hours of 1:30 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

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Businessmen Purchase Plumbing Firm

A couple of school buddies, Adam Hauptman and Paul Gauthier, both of St. Albert formed a partnership recently when they purchased Dick's Plumbing and Heating Ltd., an old and well established firm founded in 1958 by R. N. (Dick) and Beatrice McGee. Mr. and Mrs. McGee are planning to move to Robson, B.C., where they have purchased a mobile Trailer Court. Mr. McGee said he and his wife expect to take possession of their new business April



ADAM HAUPTMAN

Adam and his wife took over Sweetheart Jewellery, also purchased school buses. Mr. and Mrs. Hauptman still operate the jewellery business as well as the buses besides Adam's full-time job in the plumbing and heating firm. Mr. Gauthier, until joining forces with his partner in the purchase of Dick's Plumbing, worked for the former owner for five years and spent two years working for Andy Hamilton Plumbing.

In 1961 Adam Hauptman married Patricia Thibert and the couple today has a family of three boys. Last year Paul Gauthier married the former Miss Debbie Egliniski of rural Edmonton and the couple now plans to move into St. Albert sometime in March.

The new owners of the plumbing and heating firm have made a minor change in the name by adding (1973) to the limited company. Adam and Paul plan to institute a 24-hour a day service soon and are presently busy fulfilling plumbing and heating contracts in new homes under construction in St. Albert. They are also planning on adding staff in anticipation of a busy spring and summer season.

ist. After graduating from high school in St. Albert, both partners entered the business world. Adam Hauptman managed the Drive-In Theatre while Paul Gauthier worked for Dick's Plumbing. From that point until their official take-over January 1st, 1973, the two partners were kept busy in their respective careers. Paul obtained his journeyman certificate in plumbing and heating from NAIT while



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Mayor - Cable TV Firm Discuss Agreement

Mayor Ray Gibbon met with Mr. Jim Shaw, president of Capital Cable TV Ltd., Monday to discuss several points of mutual interest in view of the recent approval of Capital's appli-

cation for a licence to serve St. Albert with cable television services.

Points discussed included terms of an agreement between the town and the cable television firm regarding installation and servicing

policies, transmission facilities to St. Albert and within its corporate limits with emphasis being placed on use of local facilities in order to avoid duplication. Another and very important clause discussed was the establishment of a local studio including a community channel devoted to St. Albert diffusion of news and local events. Mayor Gibbon recommended that Mr. Shaw issue a letter of commitment to town council outlining all services available through this medium.

"If all points discussed plus other details can be agreed upon fairly soon," Mayor Gibbon said, "Capital Cable TV Ltd. should be able to start local programming in September of this year along with other regular cable services."

Mayor Gibbon also announced that Mr. Shaw will be attempting to have all items relating to council's approval ready for the February 5 regular meeting of council.

Young bachelor buys business

Leo Franche is an ambitious young man, who at the age of 25 has purchased Reggies Hardware in St. Albert, now to be officially Reggies Hardware (1973) Ltd.

He makes his home with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Art Franche, on a farm six miles west of St. Albert.

After completing his schooling at St. Albert High Leo went to work at the hardware store, where he now has 7 and 1/2 years experience and has been assistant manager for the past few years.

Leo likes summer and winter sports and plays football with the Villeneuve team. "I also enjoy meeting and going out with people, and working with people," he commented.

Mr. Franche plans a special opening day soon to get his new business off to a fine start.



LEO FRANCHE



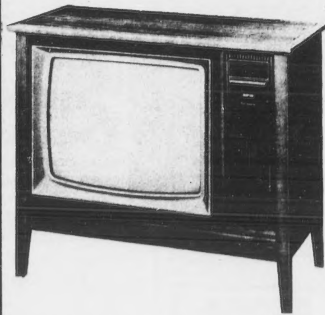
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